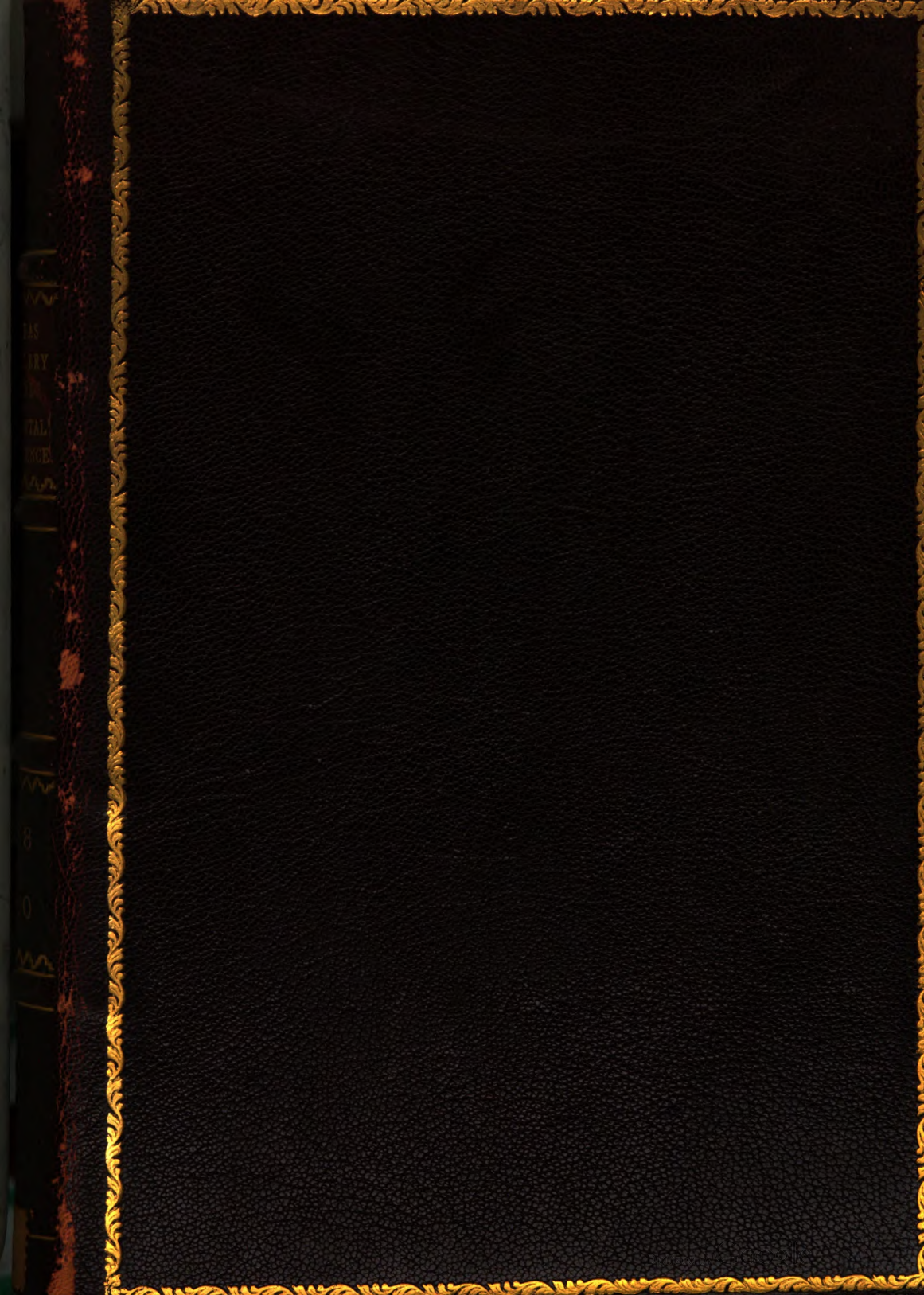

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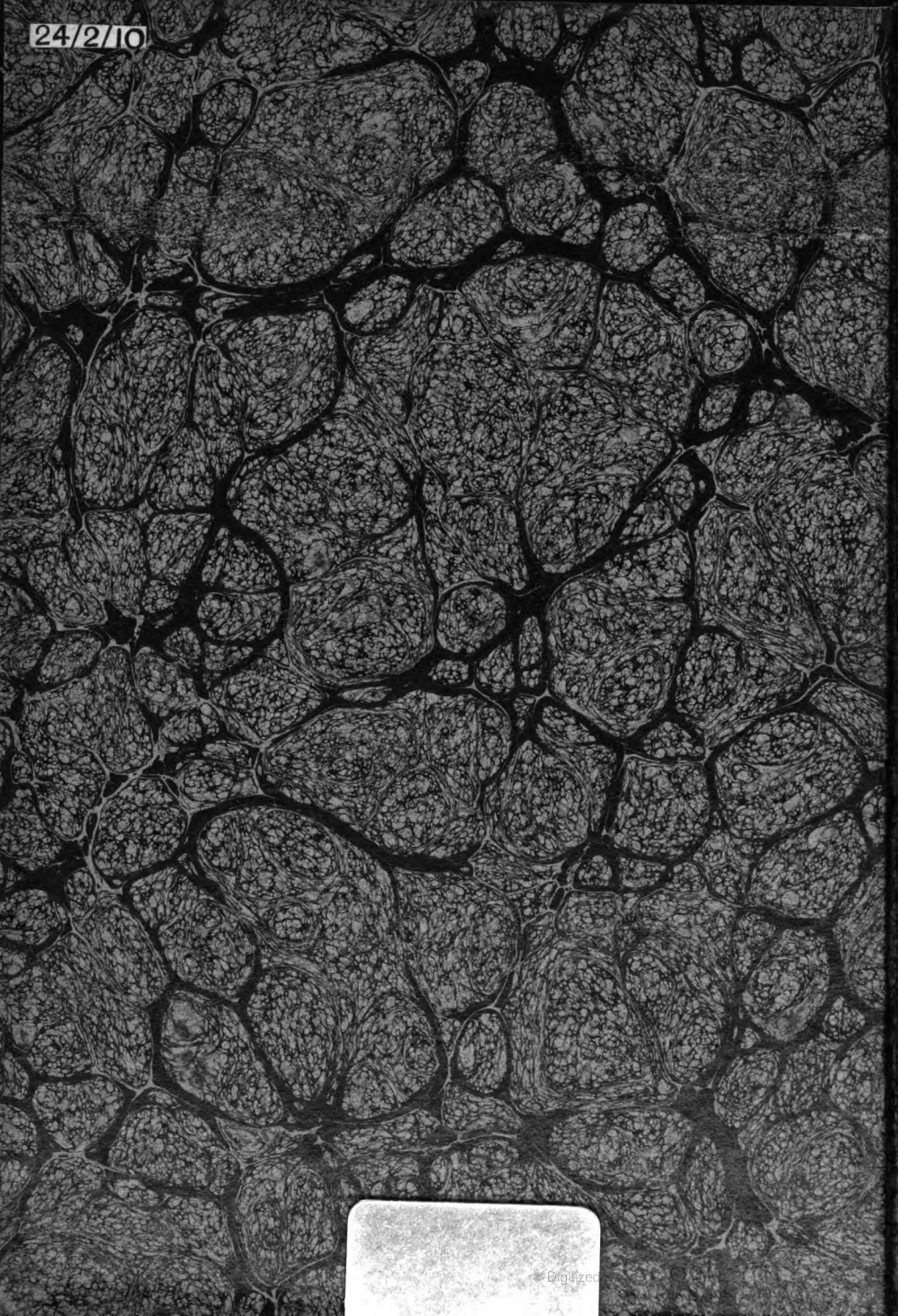
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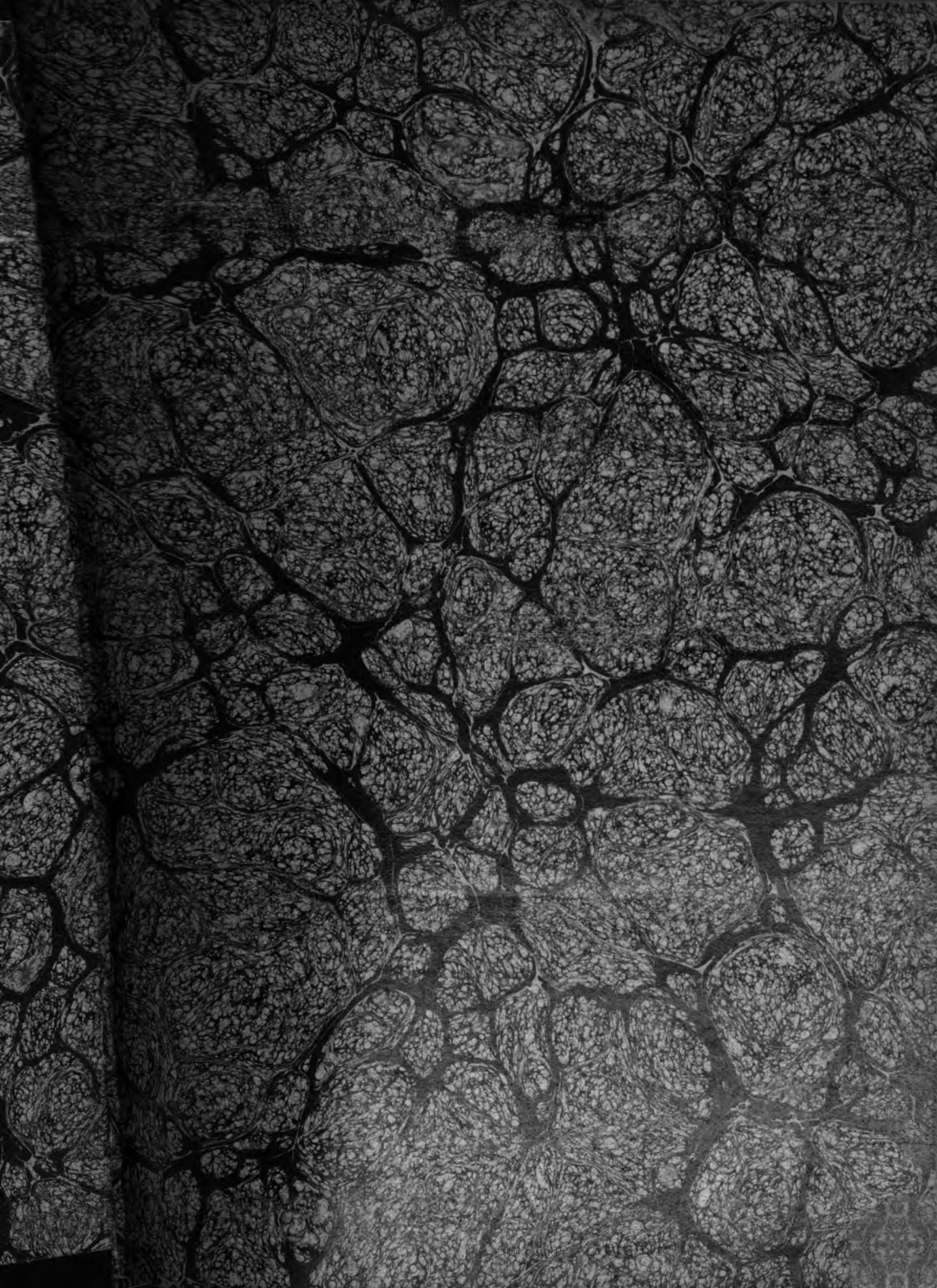
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REGIMENTAL INTELLIGENCE 1858.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE NON-COMMISSIONED AND WARRANT GRADES AND STATEMENTS OF SERVICES IN THE ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT TO BE FORWARDED TO THE INSPECTOR GENERAL.

G. O. C. C. No. 5, 11th January 1858.—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 97—7th April 1857*, the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct that the statements of Service of

** G. O. C. C. 2d August 1856, No. 46.* Warrant Officers *heretofore transmitted to the Adjutant General, be forwarded for the future to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

2. Pending the publication of the revised General Regulations, His Excellency further directs that all future recommendations for appointment to the Non-Commissioned or Warrant Grades of the Ordnance Department be in like manner forwarded to the above functionary.

DUPLICATES OF COMMUNICATION RELATIVE TO ORDNANCE SUPPLIES &c. TO BE TRANSMITTED TO THE INSPECTOR GENERAL.

G. O. C. C. No. 10, 20th January 1858.—Officers having occasion to address the Adjutant General of the Army relative to supplies of Ammunition or Stores or other Ordnance matters; will, transmit to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines a Duplicate of their communication whether by Telegraph or letter.

COMMANDING OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS OF SOLDIERS UNDER ORDERS FOR EMBARKATION TO EUROPE.

G. O. C. C. No. 11, 20th January 1858.—It having been again represented to the Commander in Chief, that the adjustment of claims of Soldiers placed under the orders of the Town Major for embarkation to Europe is still frequently

rendered impracticable through neglect on the part of Commanding Officers in forwarding the required documents connected with men prior to their leaving their Corps, His Excellency calls the attention of all concerned to para 11,

"Should any man's embarkation be delayed owing to culpable neglect in the Settlement of his accounts, Commanding Officers will be held personally responsible for the loss that may thereby accrue to Government."

Section IX, page 87 General Regulations, and to the

latter clause of G. O. C. C. No. 4 dated 4th February 1854, the provisions of which will be fully carried out in future cases of culpable disregard of the orders of the Service.

A SECOND COMPANY OF EAST INDIAN DRIVERS TO BE RAISED FOR THE MADRAS ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 12, 21st January 1858.—With the sanction of Government the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct, that a Second Company of East Indian Drivers be raised for the Service of the Madras Artillery upon the terms specified in G. O. C. C. No. 53 24th September 1857.

The Company now ordered to be raised will be attached to the A. Company 2d Battalion Artillery *Trichinopoly* as No. 9 Battery.

The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery will take immediate steps for raising this Company.

The *organization of an East Indian Driver Company for Bengal having been abandoned, any men not already disposed of who have volunteered for transfer to that Company, should they desire it, will be appointed to the Company now ordered to be raised.

Major Maitland will direct any Drivers, or Candidates for enlistment as Drivers now with him, to report themselves to Artillery Head Quarters; and Correspondence connected with them is to be likewise transferred.

ASSIMILATION OF PAY OF THE HONORABLE COMPANY'S EUROPEAN ARTILLERY WITH THAT OF THE ROYAL ARTILLERY.

G. O. G. No. 35, 29th January 1858—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor Gene-

* G. O. C. C. No. 55,
26th September 1857.

ral of India in Council, with a Table of Pay for the Honorable Company's European Artillery, in assimilation with that of the Royal Artillery, is published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 19th January 1858.

No. 102 of 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to direct that, subject to the approval of the Honorable the Court of Directors, the Non Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of the Regiments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay Artillery, shall from the 1st Instant, be allowed the same rates of pay as similar ranks in the Royal Artillery serving in India.

(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, Colonel.

Secy. to the Govt. of India, in the Mily. Dept.

Table of Pay for the Hon'ble Company's European Artillery in assimilation with that of the Royal Artillery.

	Pay and Compensation in lieu of Spirit Rations.				Pay and Compensation in lieu of Spirit Rations.		
	Co.'s				Co.'s		
<i>European Horse Artillery.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>As.</i>	<i>P.</i>	<i>European Foot Artillery.</i>	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>As.</i>	<i>P.</i>
Serjeant Major.....	58	11	3	Serjeant Major.....	56	3	6
Quarter Master Serjeant...	51	3	11	Quarter Master Serjeant...	48	12	2
Troop Staff Serjeant.....	51	3	11	Serjeant.....	34	12	7
Serjeant.....	37	4	4	Corporal.....	27	5	4
Corporal.....	29	13	1	Bombardier.....	24	13	7
Bombardier.....	27	5	4	Gunner.....	13	15	7
Gunner.....	16	7	4				
Trumpeter.....	26	6	5				
Trumpeter, 2nd Class.....	16	7	4				

ESCORTS AND DETACHMENTS TO BE FURNISHED WITH 60 ROUNDS PER MAN OF BALL AMMUNITION

G. O. C. C. No. 13, 28th January 1858.—The Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that it be considered a standing order of the Service that all escorts and detachments shall be furnished with at least 60 rounds per man of Ball Ammunition with a due proportion of Caps.

The officer ordering the Detachment will determine accord-

ing to the nature of the Service what proportion of the above shall be carried in the pouch—Carriage will be provided for the remainder.

A. O. 19th January 1858.—I. The Commandant of Artillery directs that in all references hereafter in Regimental official records, correspondence, and orders, the Regiment be designated "*Madras Artillery*," instead of "Artillery" as heretofore.

A. O. No. 1, 19th January 1858.—II. With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the Commandant of Artillery directs the abolition of the "*double ride*" in the Horse Brigade.

2. The lesson in the riding school will be limited to what has hitherto been the single ride for inspection, and the Horse holder's drill, as laid down in the 91st and following pages of Section XXX, "Exercise and Field movements of the Horse Brigade."

3. Squads being formed at open files with Swords drawn and at the "carry", the words of command for the single ride will be as follows:

Slope swords, eyes right.
March.
Leading file circle.
Go large.
Down the centre.
Right turn.
Circle right.
Circle entire.
Go large.
Circle and change.
Trot.
Leading file circle.
Go large.
Down the centre.
Left turn.
Circle left.
Circle entire.
Go large.
Circle and change.
Down the centre.

About, about.	} <i>Omit for Light Field Batteries.</i>
Right incline forward.	
Left incline forward.	
Rein back forward.	
Right shoulder in.	
Right half pass.	
Leading file left shoulder in.	
Down the centre left pass.	
Rank off.	
Canter.	
Down the centre.	
Right turn.	
Circle right.	
Right incline.	
Down the centre.	
Left turn.	
Circle left.	
Left incline.	
Serpentine.	
Right about form.	

Carry swords.
Return swords.
Loop up swords.
Sit at ease,

Here terminates the single lesson.

Attention.
From the right tell off by threes.

From the right of threes to the front file.

Walk.
March.
Halt.
Unloop swords.
Eyes right.
Draw swords.
Slope swords.

The Sword Exercise is then to be performed, the leading files right and left, and the file on the right rear, to be fugal.

Return swords.
Front form rank.
March.
Single files right.
Walk.
March.
Draw pistols.
Canter.
Load.
Ready.
Right present.
Fire.
Load.

Right incline.
Ready.
Left present.
Fire.
Load.
Left turn.
Halt.
Ready.
Front present.
Fire.
Return pistols.
Sit at ease.

The requisite variations in the words of command are to be made when Pistols with flint locks are in use.

N. B.—All turns to be made from the side of the School.

The words "Right" and "Left present" to be given from the side of the School only.

4. The single ride should be practised as much to one hand as to the other, by commencing as frequently to the left as to the right, and the pace at which the different parts are performed may be varied at discretion.

5. The riding lesson for Light Field Batteries is the single lesson as prescribed above for the Horse Brigade, omitting from the word "Canter" to "Serpentine," both inclusive.

A. O. No. 2, 23d January 1858.—II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified, that His Excellency the Commander in Chief has decided that representations which Commanding Officers of Corps or detach-

ments may have occasion to make on the subject of Clothing, should be referred for the decision of the Local authorities, with whom it rests to submit the matter to Army Head Quarters or otherwise.

2. Copies of any correspondence that may take place on the subject, are however to be forwarded by Commanding Officers to Artillery Head Quarters; in conformity with the orders which require that the Commandant of Artillery be kept informed of every particular having reference to the Regiment.

A. O. No. 3, 23d January 1858.—III. In conformity with instructions received from Army Head Quarters, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery regrets that he has to observe on the omissions of Officers Commanding various detachments of the Regiment in respect to the transmission, in due time, of documents connected with men who quit their stations for the purpose of being placed under the orders of the Town Major of Fort St. George for discharge, with or without pension.

2. The omissions specially complained of by the authorities, refer to the documents specified in the margin*, and it is now accordingly directed that in the case of men discharged with pension,—whom it is not the practice to require to proceed to Saint Thomas' Mount before being placed under the orders of the Town Major,—that their documents be forwarded, without delay, *direct* to the Town Major; and in the case of men to be discharged without pension, that the documents connected with them be sent addressed under cover to "*The Officer Commanding Madras Artillery, Centre Division, Saint Thomas' Mount,*" who will dispose of them as may be required by circumstances.

* Pay Certificate
Clothing "
Ration "
Small Account Book.

3. As it has been represented that these omissions have occasioned delay in the embarkation of men for England and the Colonies, the special attention of Commanding Officers is

* "Should any man's embarkation be delayed owing to culpable neglect in the settlement of his accounts, Commanding Officers will be held personally responsible for the loss that may thereby accrue to Government."

directed to G. O. C. C. No. 11 of the 20th instant, wherein His Excellency the Commander in Chief has declared his intention of fully carrying out the provi-

sions of the latter clause* of G. O. C. C. No. 4 dated 4th February 1854, in future cases of culpable disregard of the orders of the service.

A. O. 26th January 1858.—II. The following extract of Proceedings of the Military Board No. 2429 dated 26th August 1856, is published for the information of the Regiment, and Officers Commanding Horse Artillery Batteries and Horse Field Batteries are directed to forward indents for their Limbers, and the latter also for Waggon, accordingly.

* Recommended by Artillery Select Committee in Article 723, Meeting 191.

"The Board authorize the introduction of the moveable seats* for Limbers &c, and request that a supply may be made up at the Gun Carriage Manufactory and sent in to the Grand Arsenal, for distribution to Horse Artillery and Horse Field Batteries."

ARRIVALS.

1858.	Names.	From	At.
12th Jany.	2d Lieut. H. L. Dempster,	Europe	Madras.
24th "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) C. M J. Thornton	"	"
" "	Gent. Cadet Mr. R. T. Hamond	}	"
" "	" " H. L. Armstrong		
" "	" " C. E. Pritchard		
" "	" " H. F. Pritchard		
" "	" " E. T. Ouchterlony	"	"

DEPARTURES.

1858.	Names.	From	To.
8th Jany.	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) H. G. Bishop	Madras	Penang.
15th "	Capt. (Bt. Major J. Babington	Madras	Neilgherries.
21st "	Lieutenant R. A. Peach	"	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>	
5th Jany.	Senior Major (Bt. Col.)	} To be Lieut. Col. " " Major. " " Captain. " " 1st Lieut.	} Vice Begbie retired, date of Commissions 31st December 1857.
	P. Anstruther, C. B.		
	Capt. (Bt. Lt. Col.)		
	G. Balfour, C. B.		
	1st Lieut. (Bt. Capt.)		
	A. Stewart		
	2d Lieut. C. Johnson.		
11th "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) C. H. Harrison,	Appointed Adjutant and Quarter Master of the 3d Battalion Artillery, but will continue with the B. Company 4th Battalion Artillery, until the termination of the Service on which the Company is employed.	
15th "	Lieut. P. D. Horne,	To be a Lay Trustee of Trinity Church, Bangalore.	
15th "	Lieut. Col. J. W. Croggan,	To be Colonel in the Army by Brevet from 28th November 1857.	
20th "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.)	} Appointed Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Division of Madras Artillery, with the Artillery Brigade of the Field Division under Major General Whitlock.	
	C. H. Harrison,		
	Adjutant and Qr.		
	Master 3d Battn Artillery.		
25th "	Lieut. C. L. Yeoman	Appointed to act as Commissary of Ordnance at Trichinopoly from the 4th December 1857, during the absence of Lieut. Colonel Gabbett or until further orders, without prejudice to his Regimental duties.	
26th "	Gent. Cadet Mr. R. T. Hamond	} Admitted upon the Establishment, and promoted to the Rank of 2nd Lieutenant.	
	" Mr. H. L. Armstrong		
	" Mr. C. E. Pritchard		
	" Mr. H. F. Pritchard		
	" Mr. E. T. Ouchterlony		

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858.						
7th Jany.	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) H. G. Bishop, <i>Quarter Master and Interpreter 5th Battalion</i>.....	...	.....	...	.....	{ Will proceed in Command of the A. Company 1st Battn. Artillery to the Straits on the Steamer "Carthage," returning in Command of the relieved Company from Penang.
12th "	Lieut. B. G. F. Henegan...	...	5th	A.	H. B.	
15th "	" Colonel (Bt. Col.) J. W. Croghan.....	...	1st	...	5th	To join.
	" Colonel (Bt. Col.) P. Anstruther C. B.)	late promotion.		...	1st	Europe.
	Major (Bt. Lieut. Col) G. Balfour C. B.....	do.		...	5th	Staff.
	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. Lawford.....	C.	3d	B.	1st	{ To join Head Quarters 1st Battn. at the Mount, on arrival from England.
	" (Bt. Major) H. T. M. Berdmore.....	B.	1st	C.	3d	
	" A. Stewart.....	late promotion.		A.	2d	To join at Trichinopoly
	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) C. M. J. Thornton.....	2nd	5th	C.	4th	{ To join at Secunderabad on arrival from England.
	" Supl.	Supl.		C.	4th	
20th "	" C. Johnson.....	late promotion.		A.	4th	
	" (Bt. Capt.) C. H. Harrison.....	B.	4th	D.	3d	
	" H. D. Gloag.....	C.	2d	C.	1st	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.	Names.	Where and Remarks.
4th Jany.	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. Babington	Neilgherries, S. C. till 31st December 1858.
	4th Battn. Artillery.	
" "	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. P. Eaton	Madras, from 22d December to 31st December 1857.
	Horse Artillery.	
12th "	Lieutenant G. C. Robinson	In continuation to 24th December 1857—To enable him to join.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.	Names.	Remarks.
12th Jany.	Lieut. R. A. Peach	On medical certificate for three years, under the old Regulations, and to embark from Madras.
29th "	Captain H. E. Hicks	Leave extended for 3 months.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

16th January 1858.

9th December 1857.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, directing Captain A. N. Scott of the Artillery, to continue to perform his Regimental duties, without prejudice to his appointment as Acting Commissary of Ordnance Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.

29th January 1858.

31st December 1857.—By the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, directing Lieutenant Hog, D. Company 2d Battalion Artillery, to do duty with No. 1 Horse Field Battery, attached to the A. Company 4th Battalion Artillery, proceeding on Service.

FORM OF RECEIPT FOR ADVANCES MADE ON ACCOUNT OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

G. O. G. No. 41, 2d February 1858.—1. Whenever advances are required by Officers of other Presidencies who may be at this Presidency on leave of absence, or for Sepoys on furlough &c., receipts for such advances shall be taken by Paymasters or other Officers in charge of Civil Treasuries under this Presidency who may make the advances, agreeably to the subjoined form; the authorities under which the advances are made, respectively, being quoted *invariably* in the receipts.

2. Receipts, also, in the same Form, shall be obtained from Officers of this Presidency for advances made to them, on account of Pay and allowances when proceeding from one station to another, or for other purposes. If however any further particulars appear, on any peculiar occasion, to be requisite, they may also be entered in the Receipts.

FORM.

* Or the Collector of
case may be. as the

Received from the Paymaster* at (enter station) the sum of Company's Rupees (amount) under the orders issued by (name) Commanding (en-

ter Division or Station) dated the (enter day month and year) being for pay and allowances for (enter period) to (enter the name of the Officer, or the Corps or Department to whom they refer or any other particular as the case may be.)

The date (day month and year) to be entered at foot of receipt.

2d COMPANY EAST INDIAN DRIVERS TO BE ORGANIZED AT BANGALORE.

G. O. C. C. No. 15, 10th February 1858.—The Commander-in-Chief directs that the 2d. Company East Indian Drivers be organized at Bangalore instead of at Trichinopoly, as ordered in *G. O. C. C. 21st January 1858, No 12.*

COMPENSATION IN LIEU OF RATIONS AUTHORIZED TO THE FAMILIES OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 16, 16th February 1853.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that in cases where rations are admissible to the Families of European Soldiers, Government has authorized the issue of compensation in lieu, whenever considered necessary by Officers Commanding Stations.

THE C. AND K. COMPANIES OF GUN LASCARS TO BE FOR SERVICE WITH THE ROYAL AND MADRAS ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 19, 20th, February 1858.—With reference to *G. O. C. C. 24th October 1857 No. 65*, the Commander in Chief directs the transfer of the C. Company of Gun Lascars attached to the Madras Artillery to the Royal Artillery, and that the K. Company now in course of organization be retained for service with the Madras Artillery.

ESTABLISHMENT FOR LIGHT FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERIES WITH EAST INDIAN DRIVERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 20, 24th Feby. 1858.—With the sanction of Government the Commander in Chief directs the publication of the following Establishment for Light Field Artillery Batteries, with East Indian Drivers, in supercession of that specified in *G. O. C. C. 9th September 1857, No. 49*, and *21th September 1857. No. 53.*

	Staff Serjeant (Effective.)	Farriers (Non-Eff.c. tive.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Drivers.	Officers.	Horses. Regimental.	Saddles and Bridles.	Harness sets including off Saddles.	Horse keepers. Chowdries. Horsekeep- ers.	Grass Cut- ters.	Puckally.	Moochy.	
A Battery on the Peace Establishment.....	1	2*	2	2	56	6	98	52	92	1	44	1	98	1
A Battery on the War Establishment.....	1	3*	3	3	63	6	130	72	100	1	70	1	130	1

* To receive a Staff salary of Rupees 10-8-0 each per mensem, in addition to their pay and allowances as Drivers.—All Drivers to be liable for the duty of Farriers.

When marching or in the Field on the Peace establishment, two teams of 10 Bullocks each, with Drivers, to be supplied by the Commissariat Department are to be attached to serve as spare draught Cattle, in addition to Bullocks with Drivers for the Draught of the spare Carriage, Store Carts, and Half Wroughts &c., as laid down in Table 7, appended to G. O. G. No. 118, 17th June 1853.

ORGANIZATION OF NO. 9 BATTERY (TO BE DRIVEN BY EUROPEANS) TO BE CONTINUED AT TRICHINOPOLY.

G. O. C. C. No. 21, 26th February 1858.—With reference to G. O. C. C. of the 10th Instant No. 15, the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct, that the Second para of G. O. C. C. No. 12, dated 21st January 1858, ordering the 2d Company of East Indian Drivers to be attached to the A. Company 2d Battalion Artillery Trichinopoly, as No. 9 Battery, be cancelled, and the organization of No. 9 Battery, (to be driven by Europeans) will be continued at Trichinopoly with the A. Company, 2d Battalion as hitherto.

EXAMINATION TO BE PASSED BY MILITARY OFFICERS SEEKING APPOINTMENT TO, OR PROMOTION IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

G. O. C. C. 22d September 1854, No. 67.

G. O. C. C. 29th September 1855, No. 56.

* Para 33, The examination to be passed by Military Officers to render them eligible to be appointed Assistant Engineers on probation, will embrace Mensuration, Geometry, Algebra, Plane Trigonometry, Mechanics (including the general principles of the stability of structures and strength of Materials) Hydraulics, the nature and preparation of Materials, the ordinary practical rules of construction and ability to frame ordinary designs and estimates on being furnished with the rates of work, as well as surveying with the Theodolite, compass and chain, and levelling.

Para 34. Candidates for examination being Military Officers, must apply through the usual channel to the Officer Commanding the Station, who will arrange with the Chief Engineer for the examination of the Candidate, if within a moderate distance, or for the supply of examination papers (to be delivered sealed to the Examiners) if the Station be at a distance from the College. The Examiners shall be those named in rule 41, who shall meet at such time and place as may be arranged by the Commanding Officer of the Station.

Para 35. The report of the Examiners, with the Candidates original answers to the question in the examination papers, shall be forwarded by the Examiners direct to the Central Committee, who shall communicate the result of the examination to the Commanding Officer of the Station, forwarding a Certificate if he be of opinion that the Candidate has passed. The Certificate shall be transmitted to Army Head Quarters, in order that the qualification of the Officer may be notified in General Orders, and recorded in the Army List.

† Para 41. The examination, of candidates seeking appointment to, or of those who seek promotion in the Department of Public Works, will be conducted at the Presidency by a central Committee, composed of the President of the Board of Examiners, the Assistant Chief Engineer, the Principal of the Engineering College, and any other gentleman the Government may associate with them; or in the Provinces by District Committees composed of the District Engineer, the Collector, the Head Master of the Provincial School, and any other Officer specially nominated by Government. The record of the Committee's proceedings with the Chief Engineer's Observations and recommendation, will be submitted to Government, by whom the appointment will be made. These Committees may be convened by the Chief Engineer on application for examination by candidates who have served the prescribed period, and are possessed of the preliminary qualifications.

promotion in, that Department, are required to pass the examination laid down in, rules* 33, 34 and 35, the means of conducting such examinations being under rule †41 available both at the Presidency and in the Provinces.

G. O. C. C. No.

23, 26th February

1858.--Under instructions from Government, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that the provisions of the orders noted in the margin, laying down rules on the subject of Certificates of qualification in Surveying and Civil Engineering, have been suspended by the rules published in the notification of Government No. 1 dated 23d June 1857, from the date of publication of the same as regards the Public Works Department, and that Military Officers seeking appointment to, or

A. O. No. 4, 5th February 1858.—II. In consequence of delay and mistakes which have occurred in respect to the issue of Clothing, and adjustment of Clothing claims, of the men of the Regiment belonging to the office of the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, it is directed, with the view to obviate a recurrence of these inconveniences and to admit of Clothing being despatched by the Agent direct to the Department, that in the annual station rolls for Clothing forwarded to the Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, the men attached to that Department be accounted for separately (“Department of Assistant Adjutant General Madras Artillery Saint Thomas’ Mount,”) and not, as hitherto, included with the details of their respective Battalions at the Mount.

A. O. 16th February 1853.—I. Memo. No. 33.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the following alteration is made in Section LXXIII of the General Regulations of the Artillery, revised by A. O. 30th September 1853.

Para 24—to be altered as follows.

“Compensation in lieu of all articles of Clothing (except—
“ing Serge Trowsers and Boots, the compensation for which,
“when drawn, is to be forwarded to the Officer Commanding
“the Band Company for issue to the men,) will be drawn
“&c. &c.” (*remainder of the para to stand as at present.*)

A. O. No. 5, 26th February 1858.—I. Under instructions from Army Head Quarters, the Commandant of Artillery notifies that the men of the European Battalions are to be employed indiscriminately in all duties appertaining to Light Field Batteries in Horse draught.

2. Although, as an arrangement for the efficiency of the Batteries, the men best calculated, from being the lightest weights combined with other suitable qualifications, should be regularly allotted for driving and the remainder assigned for the duties at the Guns, it is equally necessary, in order

to provide for any casualties amongst the Drivers, that every man with a Battery be efficient for the duty of driving. It is accordingly directed that riding and driving form portions of the regular instruction of every Artilleryman in the Regiment.

3. Commanding Officers, where there are Light Field Batteries, will adopt immediate measures for the instruction of the men of the Companies in the established course of riding and driving.

4. The Commandant of Artillery in impressing upon Officers Commanding Light Field Batteries, both Horse and Foot Artillery, the importance of selecting, as far as possible, the lightest weights as the class of men generally best adapted for driving, desires to point out that the men chosen should also be of full muscular development, capable of controlling their Horses under difficult circumstances.

A. O. 26th February 1858.—IV. Lieutenant J. F. A.

* Consisting of	
A. Company 1st Battalion.	
A. " 5th "	
1st Suppl. " 5th "	
Details " 5th "	

McNair of the 5th Battalion, is appointed Adjutant and Quarter Master of the *Division of Artillery serving in the Straits of Malacca.

2. Lieutenant W. D. Forster of the 5th Battalion, is appointed to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Division of Artillery in the Straits until the relief of Lieutenant McNair from employment on other duty, or until further orders.

3. The above appointments are to have effect from the 31st January 1858, the date of arrival of the A. Company 1st Battalion at Penang.

ARRIVALS

1858.	Names.	From	At
—Feb'y.	Lient. (Bt. Capt.) E. H. Couchman	Bangalore	Madras.
9th „	Lieut. J. McK. Macintyre	} Europe.	„
	2d Lieut. J. McNeil		
	Gent. Cadet Mr. B. Yaldwyn		

1858.	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
10th Feb.	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. Lawford	Europe.	Madras.
11th „	2d Lieut. H. McLeod	„	„
17th „	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) J. W. F. Taylor	Secunderabad	Mount.
23d „	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) W. S. Mann	Penang	Madras.
27th „	Gent Cadet Mr. H. G. Pritchard	} Europe	„
	„ A. M. Rawlins		
	„ A. H. Roberts		

DEPARTURES.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
—Feb.	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) E. H. Couchman	Madras	Bangalore
8th „	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) C. M. J. Thornton	„	Secunderabad
28th „	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) Æ. Shirreff	„	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
12th Feby.	Gent. Cadet Mr. B. Yaldwyn—Admitted on the Establishment and promoted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.	
	2d Lieut. E. T. Ouchterlony	Date of rank fixed 11th December 1857.
	„ R. T. Hamond	} Date of rank fixed to 12th Decr. 1857.
	„ C. E. Pritchard	
	„ W. M. D. Wright (not arrived)	
	„ H. L. Armstrong	
	„ H. W. Hastings (not arrived)	
	„ H. G. Pritchard do.	
	„ A. M. Rawlins do.	
	„ A. H. Roberts do.	
	„ H. F. Pritchard	
	„ B. Yaldwyn	
19th „	Major General J. Ketchen	To be Lieutenant General by Brevet, from 8th October 1857.

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REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858.						
24th Feb.	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell.	D.	2d	B.	1st	To join on expiration of leave.
	Capt. C. D. Waddell.....	B.	1st	D.	2d	To join on expiration of leave.
	Lieut. J. M. Macintyre.....	B.	6th	2nd Supl.	5th	To join.
	„ R. C. Henchy.....	D.	H. B.	B.	H. B.	
	„ G. C. M. Martin.....	A.	H. B.	D.	H. B.	To join on arrival from England.
	2d. Lieut. J. W. Watkins } A. Company 1st Battn. }	d. d. 2d Supl.	5th	...	...	To rejoin his own Company in the Straits on being relieved by Lt. Macintyre.
	1. Lieut. J. Mc. Neil.....	A.	4th	A.	2d	To join.
	1. Lieut. H. Mc.Leod.....	E.	5th	C.	2d	To join the Head Quarters of the Company at the Mount.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

*Names.**Where and Remarks.*

2d Lieut. E. T. Ouchterlony—Mysore and Neilgherries from
24th January to 7th March 1858.

Lieut. F. Cobbe 2d Class Executive Engineer Mhow } On Medical Certificate,
under the new Regulations
for two months and ten days, from the date he
may have given up charge of his Division, to
enable him to proceed to Bombay preparatory to
applying for sick leave to Europe.

2d Lieut. E. T. Ouchterlony—Neilgherry Hills for 3 months
from the date of his arrival in India.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.

*Names.**Remarks.*

2d Feby. Lieut. F. Cobbe Executive Engineer at Mhow. } Furlough on medical certificate for fifteen months, under
the new Furlough Regulations.

23d „ Brigadier Æ. Shirreff, Commandant of Artillery } On medical certificate for fifteen months, under the Regulations of 1854.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1858.

19th February 2d Lieutenant W. Manderson—Passed the examination
prescribed for Officers of *Troops* and *Companies*.

DEATH.

Killed in Action at the relief of Lucknow on the 26th September 1857, 1st Lieutenant C. W. Crump Artillery.

1st Lieutenant Crump was a Cadet of 1843 and arrived in India 14th April 1844;—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 8th December 1843, and as 1st Lieutenant 2nd October 1847.

Did duty with the 2d Battalion Artillery from 26th April 1844 till posted to it on the 27th March 1845.

Absent on Sick Certificate to the Neilgherries and Western Coast from 8th November 1846 to 30th October 1847.—Removed to the 3d Battalion Artillery 18th February 1848.

Passed examination in Hindoostanee as Interpreter at the College 25th February 1848.

Was Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master Saugor Artillery Division from 1st September 1849 to 31st January 1850.—Was Executive Officer of Public Works Saugor Division from 31st January 1850 to 2d August 1850.—Was Acting Executive Officer of Public Works at Saugor from 13th November 1850 to 20th November 1851; and from 16th December 1851 to 13th May 1852.—Was Assistant Executive Engineer at Saugor from 16th August 1853 to 6th April 1854, and Executive Engineer at Saugor from 7th April 1854 to 18th August 1857.—Passed examination in Surveying G. O. C. C. 23d September 1853 and 5th December 1853.

Absent on Sick Certificate to Calcutta from 25th October 1855 to 25th January 1856, and to Europe from 25th January 1856 to 20th April 1857.

Was employed on Field Service in Bengal during the Mutiny of the Native Troops from 4th June to 26th September 1857 and was engaged in quelling the mutiny at Benares on the 4th June 1857, on which occasion he was noticed in a letter from the Officer Commanding Artillery Division Benares, to the Assistant Adjutant General Artillery Saint Thomas'

Mount, dated 26th June 1857, and in Minutes of Consultation No. 2377 dated 20th July 1857 (appended); and in the relief of Lucknow on the 25th and 26th September 1857—On which latter date he was killed in assisting Captain Olpherts (Bengal Artillery) to extricate a 24 pounder, as noticed in the following extract from a Despatch of Colonel R. Napier, published in G. O. G. 12th January 1858—No. 12 page 47-15.

“ One of our 24-Pounders which had been used on the previous day against the Enemy, but the working of which had ceased owing to the Musketry fire which poured upon it, was left in an exposed position; it was extricated in a very daring and dextrous manner by Captain Olpherts aided by Captain Crump (killed) and private Duffy, of the Madras Fuziliers.

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“ I have deeply to lament the loss of the gallant Captain Crump, Madras Army, killed whilst extricating the 24-Pounder.”

Appointed Adjutant of the Artillery Division with General Havelock's Column from August to 26th September 1857.

Was twenty second First Lieutenant at date of decease.

BENARES, 26th June 1857.

Sir,

Had the occasion been one of regular warfare, it would have been with unmixed feelings of pride and pleasure, that I should have brought through you to the notice of the Commandant; the valuable service rendered by Captain Crump of the Madras Artillery* in the Battery under my command on the evening of the 4th Instant, when the mutinous Sepoys at this Station† were so signally routed and dispersed by the fire of 3 guns, supported by less than 200 British Bayonets; nevertheless, I feel that I should fail in my duty and ill repay that service,

* On Staff employ in the Saugor and Nerbudda Territories.

† Comprising 37th N. I. Regiment of Loodianah (Sikhs.)

by remaining altogether silent ; therefore, I beg to state that having arrived at Benares about the end of last month, on his way to Saugor, Captain Crump most properly offered his services, which were accepted by the Officer Commanding the Station, who appointed him to do duty under my orders.

I need not say that the presence of another experienced Artillery Officer at this period was hailed by me with sincere gratification ; and I soon had practical reason to rejoice thereat, for suddenly on the evening of the 4th Instant we were called into action (disarming the 37th N. I.) and before that action terminated, Captain Crump who had permission during the day to reside at Raj Ghaut, some 3 or 4 miles distant—hearing my guns, managed to join me at the most critical time—viz. when the Irregular Cavalry and Sikhs turned against us,—he directed the fire of the gun which did most execution amongst the ranks of the latter, whose conduct I refrain from dwelling on ; suffice to say that I believe it is generally admitted that but for the prompt and effective fire of the Artillery at this moment, the most disastrous result might have happened to the small handful of Europeans on the spot.

I know that Colonel Neil has so reported to Government, and in repeating my thanks to Captain Crump, I feel that I do so with the above distinguished Officer's authority.

I must not omit to add that Captain Crump exerted himself most ably and vigorously for some days after the emeute, and till all immediate apprehension had passed, assisting in the duties of the Battery, and helping to secure the arms and ammunition of the Broken Regiments, until prostrated by fever brought on by exposure and fatigue from which I am happy to say he has now completely recovered, and is awaiting instructions from the head of his Department.

(Signed) W. OLPHERTS, Captain,

Commg. No. 12 Light Field Bty.

and Artillery Division, Benares.

To,
The Assistant Adjutant General Artillery,
 ST. THOMAS' MOUNT,
 MADRAS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 2377.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation 20th July 1857.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel W. G. Woods, Adjutant General of the Army.

14th July 1857—No. 753.

The Governor in Council has received with much gratification the report submitted in the foregoing letter of the valuable service rendered by Lieutenant C. W. Crump of the Artillery on occasion of the recent Mutiny at Benares.

(True Extract)

(Signed) C. A. BROWNE, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

(True Copy)

(Signed) F. S. GABB, Major,
*Depy. Adjutant General
 of the Army.*

To,
The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery,

Forwarded with reference to his letter of the 11th July 1857 No. 711—for communication to Lieutenant Crump.

MODIFIED SCALE OF PENSIONS TO NON-COMMISSIONED STAFF OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 84, 5th March 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 15th February 1858.

No. 275 of 1858.—The Honorable the President in Coun-

cil is pleased to direct that the following Paragraphs of Military Letter from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Government of India, No. 248, dated 9th December 1857, communicating a modified scale of Pensions to Non-Commissioned Staff Officers who have served in India, be published in General Orders:—

Para 3.—We are of opinion, however, that modifications may be properly introduced in the scale of Pensions granted under the Company's Regulations to Non-Commissioned Staff Officers who have served in India. The following rates of Pension may be substituted for those now receivable by them provided that they shall have served five years in India in one or other of the ranks specified.

After twenty-one years' service, if discharged at their own request—

Quarter Master Serjeant	...	...	2s. 3d. a day.
Serjeant Major	...	...	2s. 6d. do.

After fourteen years' service, if discharged on account of debilitated constitutions—

Quarter Master Serjeant	...	...	1s. 2d. a day.
Serjeant Major	...	...	1s. 4d. do.

WOUND PENSIONS.

~~1st Degree—2d Degree~~

5.—The Pensions are to take effect in discharges granted after the date of our present Despatch.

SUPPLY OF EUROPE BLANKETS EXTENDED TO FARRIERS OF HORSE FIELD BATTERIES.

G. O. C. C. No. 24, 11th March 1858.—With the sanction

* Sanctioning a biennial supply of Europe Blankets instead of Quilts to all European Troops, including Drummers of Native Corps proceeding to Burmah.

of Government, the provisions of *G. O. C. C.* 13th*
May 1854, No. 35, are ex-

tended to Farriers of Horse Field Batteries.

SUPPLY OF BEDDING TO EUROPEAN TROOPS AND WIVES OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 100, 16th March 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following General Orders by the Government of India, dated 8th March 1851, and 15th October 1855, and to declare the rules therein laid down for the supply of Bedding to the European Troops of Her Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Services, and to the Wives of European Soldiers to be in future applicable to this Presidency, with the modifications noted in the margin.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE MOST NOBLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Camp, Peshawur, 8th March 1851.

The Most Noble the Governor General is pleased to direct that bedding shall, hereafter, be furnished to the European Troops of Her Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Services, in Bengal, under the following rules :

Each European Soldier's bedding is to consist of

1 Cotton settringee, the size of the Barrack cot.

2 Cotton upper sheets.

1 Quilt, as at present, but to contain four, instead of three
seers of cotton.

1 Good country blanket, to measure, when doubled, 7 by
4 feet.

* These articles, excepting the country Blanket, will be issued to the European Troops under the Madras Presidency on the 1st October next. A Europe Blanket will also be supplied to those who have not received one within the last three years.

The above articles to be issued on the 1st October next.*

After the first issue each Soldier will be provided with

	1 Quilt.....	} Annually.
	1 Sheet.....	
† A Europe Blanket triennially.	1 Blanket.....	Biennially.†
	1 Settringee...	Triennially.

On the issue of new articles of bedding, the old ones are not to be made away with, but are to be kept in use until worn out.

Recruits are not to be allowed to give away, or dispose of the bedding supplied to them in England, but it is to be landed for their use, on their arrival in India.

Recruits will be supplied with quilts and settringees before they leave the Presidency, and the remaining articles of bedding will be provided on their joining their Corps. They will afterwards receive, annually, the same articles as are issued to their Regiments.

Indents for bedding are to be sent in to Division Commissariat Offices, in sufficient time to enable the articles to be issued, annually, on the 1st of October.

Commanding Officers may make their own arrangements for the supply of the several articles, provided the cost does not exceed the Commissariat rates.

All articles of bedding, whether supplied by the Commissariat Department or by Regimental authorities, are to be surveyed previous to issue, by a Committee composed of Officers Commanding Troops and Companies of Europeans, to be assembled by the Officer Commanding the station.

The bedding will always be provided in kind, and compensation in lieu will, under no circumstances, be allowed.

Soldiers are to be responsible for their bedding, in the same manner as for their Regimental necessities.

These rules, which are in supercession of all former orders on the subject, are to be applicable to the European Troops, only, serving in the Bengal Presidency, including European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers on the Town Ma-

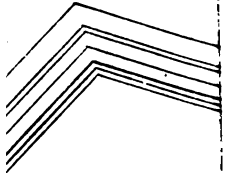
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for's List, and not to Drummers of Native Corps, who will be supplied with quilts only as at present.

No extra carriage on the march will be allowed in consequence of the increased quantity of bedding now sanctioned.

Fort William, 15th October 1855.

No. 1036.—In further assimilation to the rules in force at Ceylon, for the supply of barrack articles, the Honorable the President in Council is pleased to direct that the wives of European Soldiers permitted to reside in barracks shall hereafter be provided with cots and bedding of the same description as is authorized for European Troops.

BENEFIT OF FORMER SERVICE AFTER THE AGE OF 18 ALLOWED TO ALL PERMITTED TO VOLUNTEER FOR TRANSFER TO THE CORPS OF EAST INDIAN DRIVERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 25, 11th March 1858.—With reference

G. O. C. C. No. 53, dated 24th September 1857.

G. O. C. C. No. 53, dated 26th September 1857.

G. O. C. C. No. 66, dated 31st October 1857.

to G. O. C. C. as per margin, the Commander in Chief is pleased,

with the sanction of Government, to declare that the benefit of former service after the age of 18 shall be allowed to all the different classes therein permitted to volunteer for transfer to the Corps of East Indian Drivers, now in process of organization for service with the Madras Artillery.

A THIRD COMPANY OF EAST INDIAN DRIVERS TO BE RAISED FOR THE MADRAS ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 27, 12th March 1858.—With the sanction of Government, the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that a third Company of East Indian Drivers be raised for the service of the Madras Artillery, upon the terms specified in G. O. C. C. No. 53, 24th September 1857.

The Establishment will be as laid down in G. O. C. C. No. 20, 24th February 1858.

The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, will take immediate steps for raising the Company at Bangalore.

MOUNTED OFFICERS ENTITLED TO CHARGERS ALLOWED TO TAKE THEM FROM THE RANKS OF THEIR OWN CORPS.

G. O. G. No. 107, 23d March 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to allow Mounted Officers entitled to Chargers to take them from the ranks of their Corps, when more convenient for the public service

• Para 14. The terms on which chargers, the property of the several classes of Officers specified in the foregoing Para., are in the first instance to be offered for sale to such Officers of the Corps as are entitled to select Chargers, and in default of Purchasers to be tendered for admission to the Ranks, are as follows.

If six years old, full price, and if above six, but not exceeding 12 years a deduction is to be made at the rate of ten per cent per annum for the period elapsed since the horse attained the age of six years.

		Horse Artillery and Cavalry.	Horse Field Battery.	
6 years full price—Rupees...		700	575	0
7 do do do ..		630	517	8
8 do do do ..		560	460	0
9 do do do ..		490	402	8
10 do do do ..		420	345	0
11 do do do ..		350	287	8
12 do do do ..		280	230	0

Horses whose age exceeds twelve years are not to be admitted into the ranks, but may be disposed of at the discretion of the owners or other representatives.

in lieu of from the Remount Depot, and that the payment for horses so taken shall be regulated in the principle laid down in *para 14 Section 2, page 383, General Regulations, Head "Remount."

It is however to be understood that when the horse thus returned to the ranks may have been selected when above 6 years of age, the deduction of 10 per cent will be made from the date he attained that age, and not from the date of selection.

ISSUE OF CLOAKS TO EAST INDIAN DRIVERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 30, 16th March 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government have sanctioned the issue of Cloaks to all East Indian Drivers of Horse Field Batteries.

RATES OF PAYMENT FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE OF CLOAKS BY SOLDIERS OF THE MOUNTED BRANCH.

G. O. G. No. 122, 30th March 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council

of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William 16th March 1858.

No. 446 of 1858.—With reference to Article 103 of the Clothing Regulations for 1854 of the Indian Army, the following Rule is to be added to the Code and numbered 108½—

Soldiers of the mounted branch of the service losing or damaging their Regimental Cloaks, to pay as follows :—

If under 1 year wear, Co's Rs. 14					
After	1	do	do	do	12
do	2	do	do	do	9
do	3	do	do	do	7
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TRANSFER OF EUROPEAN INFANTRY SOLDIERS TO THE ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 33, 29th March 1858.—Permission having been granted for the transfer of a certain number of European Infantry Soldiers to the Artillery, Officers Commanding Corps, and the European Infantry Depot, will ascertain the number of men wishing to volunteer for that branch of the Service, and having done so will transmit to the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery a Register of the subjoined form.

Volunteers are to be distinctly informed that although transferred to the Artillery under the designation of "*Gunners*" the object of the call for them is to give effect to the Gunner and Driver system, that is, every man may be employed indiscriminately in serving the Guns or in Driving, either in the Horse or Foot Artillery and in all other duties appertaining to Light Field Batteries, as well as in the general duties of the Regiment of Artillery in all its branches.

The Commandant of Artillery will make selections from the Registers and send the names of men selected to the Deputy Adjutant General at the Presidency in view to their transfers being ordered.

FORM

REGISTER OF men of the 2d European Light Infantry who have volunteered for transfer to the Regiment of Madras Artillery.

Regimental No.	Rank and Names.	Present Age.		Present Height.		Measurement round the chest.		Country & County.	Ship arrived on or whence received.	Character.	Remarks.
		Years.	Months.	Feet.	Inches.	Above Nipple.	Below Nipple.				

I certify that I have minutely examined the men named above, and find them fit for mounted duties and the Artillery Service.

Station } Surgeon,
Date } In Medical Charge 2d E. L. I.

Commanding 2d European Light Infantry.

A. O. 27th February 1858.—Brigadier Æneas Shirreff being about to embark for Europe on medical certificate,—vide the G. O. G. 23d February 1858,—directs that all reports of the Regiment be made to Colonel Amsinck, next Senior Officer doing Regimental duty.

2. Brigadier Shirreff has had the proud satisfaction to command the Regiment of Madras Artillery for a period of 2 years,—within a few days,—a Corps which many able Generals have pronounced as second to none in the World, and with which he has been associated for a period of nearly 44 years.

3. Brigadier Shirreff cannot but feel this separation from old friends and comrades, and he begs to assure them that his connexion with them will ever be remembered with feelings of the greatest pleasure and satisfaction.

4. He has now the pleasing task of thanking all the Officers and men of the Regiment for their hearty co-operation with him;—he must mention particularly the Officers Commanding the Horse Brigade, Battalions and detachments of Artillery, and the Head Quarters Staff for the uniform assistance he has had in carrying on his duties as Commandant. His most hearty thanks are especially tendered to that part of the Corps now serving in Bengal, who have won additional honor to the Regiment from their devotion and loyalty to the service.

5. In conclusion the Brigadier offers his most cordial wishes for the future welfare and happiness of all under his command.

A. O. No. 6, 3d March 1858.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the use of the Turband by the men of the Gun Lascar establishment is suspended while on Foreign service, and, as a temporary substitute, each man will be required to provide himself with one black Dupputa in addition to the already established Kit.

2. The use of the black or white Dupputa as a head dress will be regulated, according to circumstances, by Commanding Officers, who will be held responsible that an uniform and neat mode of wearing them is observed by the men under their command.

3. The wearing of any but the established head dress is strictly prohibited.

A. O. 26th March 1858.—I. The Drivers attached to No. 7 Light Field Battery (with the C. Company 1st Battalion) will in future be designated, in all official returns and correspondence, as the “1st Company of East Indian Drivers.

A. O. 26th March 1858.—IV. Pending final orders by superior authority on the subject of new uniform, the Commandant of Artillery directs the use of the undress uniform of new pattern* on parades, or on duty, by Officers of both Horse and Foot Artillery, to be restricted to the following articles.

Stable jackets,	|	Forage cap,
Trowsers, undress,		Spurs, undress,
Sword,		Sword knot.

2. The Officers of the Horse Brigade will continue the use of the pouch and belts according to the Regulations hitherto in force.

3. As many Officers from England have been provided with white waist belts, the Officers of the Foot Artillery may wear either white or black undress waist belts according as they are already equipped, but the pouch and pouch belts are not to be introduced into use in the Foot Artillery until patterns for the Regiment of Madras Artillery have been decided on.

4. At evening parties, dress trowsers and dress spurs may be worn with the undress jacket.

A. O. 27th March 1858.—I. With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 19 of the 20th ultimo and G. O. G. of the 26th March 1858, the C. Company of Gun Lascars is to be removed from being attached to the A. and C. Companies 2d Battalion from the 1st proximo, and the K. Company of Gun Lascars will, from the same date, be attached $\frac{1}{2}$ to the A. Company 2nd Battalion at Trichinopoly, and $\frac{1}{2}$ to the C. Company of the same Battalion at the Mount.

2. The C. Company of Gun Lascars, in its collected state, will do duty with the Head Quarters 1st Battalion at the Mount, until orders be received from Army Head Quarters for its transfer to the Royal Artillery.

A. O. 31st March 1858.—II. The following is published for general information.

No. 1397.

To

The Commandant of Artillery.

Sir,—I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to convey His Excellency's decision that Officers of Horse Field Batteries who having received permission to select Chargers at Cavalry rates (700 Rupees), in place of Horse Field Battery rates, may wish to return their Chargers to the ranks, are not to be permitted to return them to the ranks of the Battery, but to those of the Horse Artillery or Dragoons as may be ordered from this Department.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) F. S. GABB, Major,

Depy. Adj. Genl. of the Army.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE
30th March 1858.

ARRIVALS

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
12th March	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) H. G. Bishop,	Penang	Madras.
	Lieut. J. R. J. Robertson,	"	"
15th "	Captain C. D. Waddell,	Neilgherries	"
17th "	Lieut. J. W. Watkins,	Vizianagram	Mount.

DEPARTURES.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
5th March 2d	Lieut. J. Mc. Neil,	Mount	Trichinopoly.
9th "	" C. E. Pritchard,	}	Bangalore
" "	" H. F. Pritchard,		

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
2d March 1st	Lieut. E. W. Childers,	To take rank from 26th Sept. 1857, vice Crump killed in action.
"	R. Pope,	To take rank from 15th Octr. 1857, vice M. Steuart deceased.
"	C. Johnson,	To take rank from 4th Novr. 1857, in succession to Waddell promoted.

1858.	Names.	To.
2d March	Senior 2d Lieut. T. I. M. Hog,	To be First Lieutenant, in succession to A. Steuart, promoted; date of commission, 31st December 1857.
	Gent. Cadet Mr. H. G. Pritchard,	Admitted on the Establishment and promoted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.
	„ Mr. A. M. Rawlins,	
	„ Mr. A. H. Roberts,	
9th March	Capt. J. W. Goad,	Permitted at his own request, to resign his appointment as Deputy Assistant Commissary General from the 30th May 1858.
19th „	Colonel P. Hamond,	To be Commandant of Artillery Prin. Comy. of Ordnance. } with the rank of Brigadier, during the absence on medical certificate of Brigadier Æ. Shirreff, or until further orders, to take effect from the 28th February 1858.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858. 16th Mar.	Captain J. D. Scott.....	D.	1st	A.	2d	To join the 2d Company of East Indian Drivers at Bangalore, and organize it Now at Rangoon to join.
26th „	„ A. Stewart.....	A.	2d	D.	1st	
	„ C. Company Gun Las- cars.....	Trichinopoly		St. Thomas Mount.		
	„ K. Company Gun Las- cars.....	St. Thomas Mount.		Trichinopoly		
28d „	Capt H. T. Molesworth.....	C.	2d	d.d. E.	H. B.	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.	Names.	Where and Remarks.
12th March	Capt. C. D. Waddell,	Presidency, S. C. in continuation, to enable him to obtain a final medical certificate to Europe.
16th „	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) J. De. C. Sinclair,	Bombay on medical certificate till the 31st May 1858.
	4th Comy. Arty. Hyderabad Contingent.	
12th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell,	Madras, in continuation of the leave granted in G. O. G. 11th December 1857, for one month preparatory to applying for permission to retire from the service.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
2d March	Lieut. H. W. Lumsden	Leave extended for 6 months.
23d „	Captain C. D. Waddell,	On medical certificate under the old regulations, and to embark from Madras.
26th „	Lieut. G. C. Robinson,	For 18 months, under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from the Western Coast.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

8th March 1858.

31st August 1857.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, directing Captain Hutchinson, 3rd Battalion Artillery, at the requisition of the Brigadier Commanding Nagpore Force, to proceed by dawk from Secunderabad to Kamptee, at the public expense.

8th January 1858.—By the senior Officer in charge Head Quarters 5th Battalion Artillery, appointing Lieutenant Prior, to act as Quarter Master to the 5th Battalion Artillery during the absence of Lieut. (Captain) and Quarter Master H. G. Bishop, without prejudice to his appointment as Adjutant.

26th February 1858.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, making the following appointments, to have effect from the 31st January 1858, the date of arrival of the A. Company 1st Battalion at Penang.

Lieutenant J. F. A. McNair of the 5th Battalion, to be Adjutant and Quarter Master of the division of Artillery, serving in the Straits of Malacca.

Lieutenant W. D. Forster of the 5th Battalion, to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Division of Artillery, serving in the Straits of Malacca.

13th March 1858.

1st January 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, directing Lieutenant Baker, 3rd Battalion Artillery, to do duty with the 4th Battalion Artillery, until an opportunity offers for him to proceed to join the Battalion to which he is posted.

**FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF A PREVIOUS CONVICTION
AGAINST A SOLDIER MADE FROM COURT MARTIAL OR
DEFAULTER'S BOOK.**

G. O. C. C. No. 35, 1st April 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs the publication of the following Form of Certificate of a previous conviction against a Soldier made from Court Martial or Defaulter's Book, when the Court Martial or Defaulter's Books cannot conveniently be produced before Courts Martial in support of previous convictions.

FORM

Certificate of a previous conviction against _____ of the _____

(Station),

(Date)

(Signed)

Major General,
Commanding _____ Division.

(A true copy from the Regimental Court Martial Book or from the Defaulter's Book of the Regiment, Corps, Troop or Company.

Certified that the sentence
was inflicted (or as the
case may be.)

To be signed by the Adjutant or other Officer having the custody of the Court Martial Book, or of the Defaulter's Book of the Regiment, Corps, Troop or Company to which the Prisoner belongs.)

The Form for a Certificate of a previous conviction to be granted in accordance with the 16th Section of the Mutiny Act, when the Court Martial or Defaulter's Books cannot conveniently be produced.

PUBLISHING SERVICES RENDERED BY MAJOR COTTER AND
LIEUTENANTS BRADFORD AND CHAMIER.

G. O. G. No. 139, 13th April 1858.—The Governor in Council has much pleasure in publishing for the information of the Army, the following letter addressed to the Adjutant General of the Army, by Brigadier General J. H. Franks, c. b., Commanding 4th Division Bengal Field Force, dated 13th March 1858, No. 153, bringing to notice the excellent service rendered by the undermentioned Officers of the Madras Army, while serving with the Jounpore Field Force under his orders.

Major G. S. Cotter, Artillery.

Lieutenant W. J. Bradford, Artillery.

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2d Lieutenant S. H. E. Chamier, Artillery.

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No. 153.

Begum Serai, City of Lucknow, 13th March 1858.

Sir,—Having lately relinquished on its incorporation with the main Army as the fourth Division, the Command of the Jounpore Field Force which has been since December last operating in the Jounpore, Azimgurh and Allahabad Districts for the expulsion of the Rebels; whom it has defeated in the four actions of Nusrutpore, Chanda, Amerepore and Sultanpore. I feel it incumbent on me to bring to the notice of His Excellency the Commander in Chief in the Madras Presidency, the excellent services of the Officers of that Army who have been acting under my Command.

2. I allude especially to Major Cotter, Commanding A. Company 3rd Battalion Madras Artillery with No. 2 Light Field Battery attached, whose handling of his Guns in all four of the actions I have enumerated has called forth my warm admiration, while his attention to the efficiency of his Battery and the well being of his Company have been most praiseworthy.

He has been assisted by two excellent Subalterns, Lieutenants Bradford and Chamier, who have on every occasion given him efficient support. The conduct of the former Officer in personally assisting to bring away two captured guns (taken at the attack on the Fort of Dhowram) under a heavy fire of matchlocks, has been specially brought to my notice by Lieutenant Colonel Maberly, Royal Artillery, late Commanding the Artillery of the Jounpore Field Force.

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4. These Officers have all in their several positions earned my thanks, and I beg to bring them to the favorable notice of the Commander in Chief.

(Signed) J. H. FRANKS, Brigr. General,
Commanding 4th Division.

PROGRESS REPORTS AND PRESENT STATES TO BE FURNISHED BY OFFICERS ON FIELD SERVICE BEYOND THE MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

G. O. C. C. No. 39, 15th April 1858.—Under instructions from Government the Commander in Chief directs that Officers Commanding Corps and detachments employed on Field Service beyond the limits of the Madras Presidency, whether H. M.'s or the Honorable Company's Service, will punctually furnish Progress Reports, accompanied by Present States of the same date for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General.

2. These Reports are to be transmitted direct to the address of "the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Military Department, with the Governor General, Camp Allahabad."

NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS TO RECEIVE AN ADDITION OF TWO-PENCE, TO THE PRESENT DAILY PAY.

G. O. G. No. 150, 27th April 1858.—The following Despatch from the Honorable Court of Directors, and the Royal War Office Circular therein referred to, are published.

Despatch dated 18th March 1858 No. 46.

1. We transmit herewith 3 Copies of a Circular Letter from the War Office dated 16th February 1858, with its enclosed Royal Warrant, bearing date the 30th January 1858,

No. 213. under which every Non-Commissioned Officer, above the rank of Corporal is to receive

No. 214. an addition of two-pence, to the present daily pay of his rank, and is to have no claim to good conduct pay assigned to the ranks below that of Serjeant.

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2. This rule should be extended to the Non-Commissioned Officers of our Euro-

pean Corps.

Circular No. 213.

WAR OFFICE, 16th February.

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SIR,—I am directed by the Secretary of State for War, to transmit herewith the copy of Her Majesty's most gracious Warrant,* increasing the daily pay of all Non-Commissioned Officers above the rank of Corporal, and to acquaint you that in the few existing instances wherein, under the provisions of the War Office Circular of the 16th January, 1857, Serjeants may be in receipt of Good Conduct Pay, at a higher rate than 2d, a day, the excess may be separately charged in the Pay List as Good Conduct Pay, so long as the individual shall be continued to be entitled thereto.

I have &c,

B. HAWKES.

*To General Officers in Command,
Officers Commanding,
And Paymasters of Regiments,
Depôt Battalions and Independent Corps,
Inspecting Field Officers, and
Paymasters of Recruiting Districts, &c.*

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WHEREAS We have taken into Our Royal consideration the position of Serjeants and other Non-Commissioned Officers above the rank of Corporal in respect of Pay, and whereas it has been represented unto Us that the distinction and rewards for Good Conduct, granted by Our Royal Warrant of the 1st July 1848, do not extend to these ranks, and and cannot be extended to them with propriety and convenience, Our Will and Pleasure is, that every Non-Commissioned Officer, above the rank of Corporal, serving in Our Regular Army, shall receive an addition of Two pence to the present daily Pay of his rank, and shall have no claim to Good Conduct Pay assigned to the ranks below that of Serjeant.

It is our further will and Pleasure that the addition to be made to the present pay of the Non-Commissioned Officers above the rank of Corporal serving in Our Ceylon Rifle Regiment and Royal Malta Fencibles Regiment shall be One Penny a day, except the European Non-Commissioned Officers of the former Corps, who shall receive an addition of Two Pence a day, and that this our Royal Warrant shall not apply to the Medical Staff Corps.

It is our further Will and Pleasure that these additions to the Pay of Our Army shall take effect from and after the 1st Instant, from which date the provisions of the War Office Circular, dated 16th January 1857, shall cease and determine.

Given at Our Court at St. James's this 30th day of January 1858, in the Twenty-first year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

PANMURE.

DIRECTING PROMOTIONS OF ALL OFFICERS MADE IN INDIA TO BEAR DATE ON AND FROM THE DAY SUCCEEDING THAT ON WHICH THE VACANCY OCCURRED.

G. O. G. No. 151, 27th April 1868.—The Governor in Council publishes the following despatch from the Honora-

ble the Court of Directors, directing that the promotions of all Officers made in India, shall bear date on and from the day succeeding that on which the vacancy occurred.

Letter dated 23d March 1858, No. 52.

As the promotion of General Officers of the Company's Service to fill vacancies on the fixed Establishment of each grade is in accordance with the practice in H. M.'s Army to be dated the day succeeding casualty by which the vacancy is created, it becomes necessary to ensure uniformity that the Promotions of all Officers made in India, should also bear date on and from the day succeeding that on which the vacancy occurred.

STAFF ALLOWANCE OF RS. 50—AUTHORIZED FOR INTERPRETERS TO COMPANIES OF ROYAL ARTILLERY AND ENGINEERS.

G. O. G. No. 159, 30th April 1858.—The following General Order by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in India, having been declared by the Supreme Government to be held applicable to all Presidencies alike, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER
IN CHIEF IN INDIA.

Adj't. Gen'l's. Office, Calcutta, 3d Feby. 1858.

The Commander in Chief notifies for the information of parties concerned, that Government has been pleased to authorize a Staff Allowance of Rupees 50 per mensem for Officers appointed to act as interpreters to Companies of Royal Artillery and Engineers.

By Order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief,

(Signed) W. MAYHEW, Lieut. Colonel,

Adjutant General of the Army.

ATTENTION CALLED TO REGULATIONS RESPECTING WHISKERS AND MOUSTACHE.

G. O. C. C. No. 45 12th April 1858.—The attention of Officers is called to the Regulations respecting Whiskers and

Moustache. Beards are not permitted to be worn except by Pioneers and Sappers. No option is allowed as regards the Moustache, which is to be worn by Europeans of all ranks in Military employ.

SANCTION OF THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF TO BE OBTAINED PREVIOUS TO THE SELECTION OF CHARGERS FROM THE RANKS.

G. O. C. C. No. 49, 30th April 1858.—*G. O. G. No. 107, 23d March 1858,* is not intended to confer upon Officers Commanding Mounted Corps, the power of permitting Officers to select Chargers from the ranks without the previously obtained sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

A. O. 7th April 1858.—*I.* The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be understood that, excepting of course so far as allotting men for driving, the provisions of *A. O. No. 5. of 1858, dated 26th February 1858,* apply equally to the men of all Companies of Artillery attached to Light Field Batteries, whether driven by the Europeans of the Companies or by East Indian Drivers.

A. O. 24th April 1858.—*I.* The attention of Officers forwarding Indents is requested to Circular Order by the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines No. 1 of 1858, particularly to the allotments therein laid down for Batteries &c., a strict conformity with which is required in the entries in the first column headed "Established quantity or number."

ARRIVALS.

1858.	Names.	From	At.
5th April	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell	Bombay	Madras.
		(en route, to Moulmein.)	
" "	Gent. Cadet G. H. Trevor	Europe	"
" "	" A. C. Davidson		
" "	" J. F. Pierson		
" "	" W. Bryden		
" "	" St. J. C. Shawe		

	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
1858.			
10th April	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) S. Rippon	Calcutta	Madras.
15th "	Major G. Briggs	Ootacamund	St Thos' Mount.
17th "	Lieut. G. C. M. Martin	Europe	Calcutta.
19th "	2d Lieut. H. F. Pritchard }	Bangalore	St. Thos' Mount.
" "	" C. E. Pritchard }		
21st "	Captain J. D. Scott	Rangoon	Madras.
24th "	2d Lieut. E. T. Ouchterlony	Bangalore	St. Thos' Mount.
" "	Captain F. G. Nuthall	Secunderabad	Madras.

DEPARTURES.

	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
1858.			
5th April	Capt. H. T. Molesworth	St. Thos' Mount	Secunderabad.
24th "	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell	Madras	Moulmein.
29th "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) S. Rippon	"	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
1858.		
1st April	Lieut. J. F. A. McNair—To be an Executive Engineer of the 3d Class, and Superintendent of Convicts at Singapore.	
7th "	Gent. Cadet Mr. G. H. Trevor	Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.
"	Mr. A. C. Davidson	
"	Mr. J. F. Pierson	
"	Mr. W. Bryden	
"	Mr. St. J. C. Shawe.	
9th "	Major G. W. Y. Simpson—To act as Principal Commissary of Ordnance, during the employment of Colonel Hamond on other duty, or until further orders.	
	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. Rowlandson—To act as Superintendent of the Gunpowder Manufactory, during the employment of Major Simpson on other duty, or until further orders.	
	Major G. Briggs—To act as Director of the Artillery Depot of Instruction, during the employment of Major Rowlandson on other duty, or until further orders.	
15th April.	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) R. Cadell, } Appointed Adjutant and C. Comy. 5th Battn. Artillery. } Quarter Master of Artillery in the Straits, but will continue with his present Company until his services can be dispensed with.	

1858.	Names.	To.
15th April	Lieut. W. D. Forster, A. Comy. 5th Battn. Arty.	} Will continue to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of Artillery in the Straits, until Lieut. and Brevet Captain Cadell joins.
27th „	Lt. G. B. Prior. Act. Staff Officer at Saint Thomas' Mount.	
		} To be a Joint Magistrate in the District of Chingleput, and to have jurisdiction within the limits of the Cantonment.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858.						
8th April	Captain (Bt. Major) H. Lawford, B. Company 1st Battalion.	.....	.....	.....	.....	} To command the 2d Company of East Indian Drivers at Bangalore, and to organize it, but to continue to do duty with the Head Quarters 1st Battalion at the Mount until Capt. J. D. Scott joins.
16th „	Captain J. D. Scott..... 2d Lieut. H. L. Dempster..	A. C.	2d 3d	C. D.	2d 4th	
	„ D. J. Mc. Grigor....	B.	5th	A.	1st	} To join at Cannanore and command Head Quarters of the Company.
	„ F. E. Hadow.....	E.	5th	A.	1st	
	„ J. Ford.....	C.	4th	D.	2d	} To join at Penang on expiration on leave.
	„ A. Wynch.....	d. d.	1st	C.	4th	
	„ W. J. Cottam.....	„	1st	A.	2d	} To join at Secunderabad.
	„ J. Ketchen.....	„	1st	C.	2d	
	„ A. P. Bainbridge...	„	1st	D.	4th	} To join at Trichinopoly.
	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) J. W. F. Taylor C. Comy. 4th Battalion.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.	Names.	Where and Remarks.
1st April	Captain F. G. Nuthall	Presidency, preparatory to obtaining a final medical certificate to Europe.
8th „	2d Lieut. F. E. Hadow,	Cuttack and Pooree, S. C. from 15th March to 15 June 1858, subject to the provisions of para 5 page 290 General Regulations of the Army.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.	Names.	Remarks.
9th April	Captain C. T. Collingwood, Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) H. E. Hicks,	} Leave extended for 6 months.

1858	<i>Names</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
23d April	Captain F. G. Nuthall	On medical certificate for 15 months under the Regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
" "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) S. Rippon.	On medical certificate for 15 months under the Regulations of 1854.
30th "	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. Lawford,	On medical Certificate for 18 months, under the Regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

7th April 1858.

19th January 1858.—By the Officer Commanding the Madras Artillery in the Saugor and Nerbudda Division, appointing 2d Lieutenant T. I. M. Hog, to act as Adjutant and Qr. Master to the Division of Madras Artillery serving in the Saugor and Nerbudda Division, consequent upon the D. Company 3d Battalion Artillery, and A. Company 4th Battalion Artillery being together in the Division.

13th February 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Division Saugor Field Division, appointing Lieutenant and Brevet Captain G. B. B. Holmes, of the Madras Artillery, without prejudice to his Regimental duties with the F. Troop Horse Artillery, to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Madras Artillery Division, until the arrival of Lieutenant and Brevet Captain C. H. Harrison, or until further orders.

23d, February 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Masulipatam, appointing Major J. A. Gunthorpe, Commissary of Ordnance, to assume charge as a temporary measure of the Detail of European Artillery and Golundauze at Masulipatam, from the 21st February 1858.

23d, April 1858.

2d December 1857.—By the Officer Commanding Mysore Division appointing Lieutenant G. C. Robinson of the Artillery, to do duty with the Artillery at Bangalore, until further instructions have been received regarding him from Army Head Quarters to have effect from the 27th November 1857.

30th April 1858.

1st April 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Mount, appointing Lieutenant G. B. Prior of the 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, to act as Station Staff Officer of Saint Thomas' Mount.

10th April 1858.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, appointing Captain (Major) B. W. Black, to act as Director of the Artillery Depôt until the arrival of Major G. Briggs, or until further orders, without prejudice to his appointment of Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery.

HAVERSACKS AND SODA-WATER BOTTLES TO BE ISSUED TO EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 169, 11th May 1858.—The following General Orders by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, are republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

No. 674 of 1858.—The Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council is pleased to authorize the issue to European Soldiers of Haversacks and Soda-water bottles covered with leather (in lieu of Canteens). These Articles are to be issued to Regiments as Camp Equipage, and are to be returned into Regimental Stores when no longer required, the Men being held answerable for any deficiency caused by neglect.

2. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

INCREASE OF 1 CAPTAIN AND 1 FIRST LIEUTENANT TO EACH BRIGADE AND BATTALION OF ARTILLERY.

No. 678 of 1858.—The Honorable the Court of Directors having in their Military Letter to the Governor General of India in Council, No. 61 of the 18th March 1858, authorized an increase of 1 Captain and 1 first Lieutenant to each Brigade and Battalion of the Regiments of Artillery and Corps of Engineers, at the three Presidencies, the Honorable the President in Council is pleased to direct that the promo-

tions to complete these Corps shall have effect from the 27th Instant, the date of the receipt of the Honorable Court's Despatch.

(Signed) F. D. ATKINSON, Major,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

PASSAGE AND TABLE MONEY TO WARRANT AND NON COM-MISSIONED OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 170, 11th May 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Rule* under which Passage and table money is authorised to Officers proceeding on leave on account of ill health from Service beyond sea, &c., be in future extended to Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers under similar circumstances.

SECURITY BOND IN DUPLICATE TO BE FURNISHED BY OFFICERS PROCEEDING TO EUROPE, AND EMBARKING FROM BOMBAY OR CALCUTTA.

G. O. G. No. 179, 18th May 1858.—It having been represented that much inconvenience is suffered by Officers of this Presidency, and great delay occasioned in the adjustment of their claims, when they proceed on leave to Bengal and Bombay and embark thence for Europe, by reason of their being unprovided with Security, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, with reference to G. O. G. No. 258, dated 12th October 1855, directs that every Officer of the Madras Presidency, who may obtain leave to proceed to Europe and to embark from Bombay or Calcutta, shall furnish a Security Bond *in duplicate* according to the annexed form.

2. The *original* Bond is to be forwarded by the Officer who has obtained leave to the Paymaster of the Division within whose range of payment he may be stationed at the time of obtaining leave of absence, to the Officer Commanding his Corps, or to the Civil Authority under whom he may be employed, and will be transmitted by whichever of the

* G. O. G., 16th December 1856, No. 370.

above authorities receives the bond to the Accountant General of the Presidency to which the Officer may belong.

3. The *duplicate* Bond is to be retained by the Officer who has obtained leave of absence, and to be produced to the Paymaster at the port of embarkation. Officers Commanding Corps, Paymasters of the Divisions, and the Civil Authorities in question are enjoined to communicate to all concerned the requirements of this G. O. and cause them to be strictly observed.

FORM.

No.

TO THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

* Bombay

SIR,—A. B. of the — Regiment Madras Native Infantry, having obtained leave to proceed to Europe. I (or we)†

hereby engage to repay to the Governments of Madras and Bombay* the amount of any demands that may be made (in the Civil Department or‡) by

the Military Auditor General of those Presidencies, or of outstanding balances against him for two years from this date, on account of payments made to him under the above Presidencies.

N. B.—Here enter date } † I (or we) have the honor to be,
and place where the Security Paper is executed. } SIR,
Your most obedient Servants

ALL FOOT ARTILLERY MEN TO BE TAUGHT TO RIDE.

G. O. C. C. No. 51, 11th May 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that under the sanction of the Government of India all Foot Artillery men are to be taught to ride, in order that they may be capable of acting as Drivers as well as Gunners in Light Field Batteries.

SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE AND RATIONS TO WIDOWS OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 53, 15th May 1858.—With the sanction of Government subsistence allowance as well as rations will

* Calcutta should be substituted if the Officer is about to proceed via Calcutta.

be granted to all Widows of Soldiers of Her Majesty's and the Honorable Company's Service, until opportunities occur of sending them to England.

Their names are accordingly to be continued on the rolls of corps for that purpose.

After the lapse of six months, if they continue so long in India, the subsistence allowed to the Widows should be supported by a Monthly Certificate from the Town Major or other Public Staff or Commanding Officer, that no opportunity had occurred of sending them to England, and in the case of Widows of European Soldiers in the Honorable Company's Service, the subsistence allowance should only be drawn until admitted to the benefits of Lord Clive's Fund, under the provisions of para 23, page 407 of the Pay Code.

ALLOTMENT OF SHOTTED AMMUNITION FOR EUROPEAN CORPS ARMED WITH ENFIELD RIFLES.

G. O. G. No. 197, 28th May 1858.—With reference to *G. O. G. No 76*, dated 13th March 1855, the allotment of shotted ammunition for all European Corps armed with Enfield Rifles is fixed at 90 Rounds, and of blank ammunition at Materials sufficient to make up 60 Rounds per man per annum.

IMPERIAL ORDER OF THE MEDJIDIE.

G. O. G. No. 198, 28th May 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 11th May 1858.

No. 737 of 1858.—The following Extracts from the Supplements to the *London Gazettes* of the 2d and 23d March 1858, are published for general information:—

ORDER OF THE MEDJIDIE.

Whitehall, 2d March 1858.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto the

under-mentioned Officers Her Majesty's Royal license and permission that they may accept and wear the insignia of the several Classes of the Imperial Order of the Medjidie attached to their respective names, which His Imperial Majesty the Sultan hath been pleased to confer upon them as a mark of His Majesty's approbation of their distinguished services before the Enemy during the late war, or as having been actually and entirely employed in His Majesty's Service, and and that they may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto belonging viz:—

Officers on the Staff of the Ottoman Army.

N. B.—The several Officers are described according to the Military Rank which they held at the time their names were transmitted to Constantinople for the purpose of being laid before the Sultan.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Cadell, Madras Artillery.

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Officers of the British Staff attached to the Ottoman Army.

Lieutenant John M'Kenzie Macintyre, Madras Artillery, Aide-de-Camp to Colonel Simmons, C. B., Her Majesty's Commissioner.

N. B.—The names of the Officers of the late Turkish Contingent and of the late Osmanli Irregular Cavalry and Artillery are inserted according to the local rank which they held in Turkey. They receive permission to accept and wear the Order as having been actually and entirely employed in the service of the Sultan, under Turkish Commissions.

Officers of the late Turkish Contingent.

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Major William Clarke Francis Gosling, Madras Artillery.

Captain Charles Desborough, Madras Artillery.

Captain Charles McLeod John Thornton, Madras Artillery.

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Osmanli Horse Artillery

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Captain George Carleton, Madras Artillery.

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RATIONS TO FAMILIES OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 56, 24th May 1858.—Under instructions from Government the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Rations being issuable to families only when prevented by public causes from joining Corps, families who for private reasons do not take advantage of permission to join, cease to be entitled to the supply.

RATIONS TO STEPCHILDREN OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 57, 24th May 1858.—Under instructions from Government the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that the step children of European Soldiers are entitled to the gratuitous issue of rations authorised in G. O. G. 16th October 1857, No. 331, in all cases in which they are dependent on their step father for support.

A. O. No. 7, 13th May 1858.—II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the Sword Exercise for men of Light Field Batteries, whether Drivers or otherwise, be that prescribed for Infantry.

A. O. No. 8, 13th May 1858.—III. In consequence of several Proceedings of Committees on claims to Pension having been returned by the Adjutant General of the Army, for explanation of discrepancies observed between the orthography adopted in conformity with the records in the Regimental Registers and Registers of Heirs, and that entered in Family certificates, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the special attention of Officers Commanding Corps and Detachments, to the importance of adhering closely, in all official documents, to the orthography of the names of men and heirs as recorded respectively in the Regimental Registers and Registers of Heirs.

A. O. 15th May 1858.—I. It having been represented that Inspecting Officers have remarked that the Manual and

Platoon Exercises are performed in some detachments of the Regiment, (European as well as Native,) with the pause between each motion of one in quick time, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the attention of Commanding Officers to the instructions laid down at page 26, head "Time," of the "Infantry Manual", wherein the pause ordered to be observed is that of one in the *slow* time of march.

A. O. 20th May 1858.—II. The following is published for general information.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 1590.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, 7th May 1858.

Read letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army, Ootacamund, 13th April 1858, No. 51, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

By order of the Commander in Chief, I have the honor to forward, for submission to Government, copy of a letter received from the Officer Commanding Pegu Division, reporting that there is now no objection to the families of the European Artillery being sent over. His Excellency desires me to say, that he recommends that the families may now be allowed to proceed if they desire it; but the Commander in Chief would beg Government to intimate their orders with regard to rations,—leave being given to proceed to join, are those families who do not take advantage of the permission, and not being prevented from doing so on account of sickness or other valid causes, to continue to draw rations as heretofore?

From the Officer Commanding Pegu Division, Rangoon, 20th March 1858, No. 60, to the Deputy Quarter Master General of the Army, Fort Saint George.

In reply to your letter of the 18th February No. 55, I have the honor to report, for the information of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, that having been in communication with the Commissioner of the Provinces on the subject, I am

of opinion that there is no objection to the families of the Artillery at Tonghoo being sent over.

The Governor in Council observes that rations being issuable to families only when prevented by public causes from joining Corps, families who, for private reasons, do not take advantage of permission to join, cease to be entitled to the supply.

True extracts and copies.

(Signed) C. A. BROWNE, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

ARRIVALS.

1858	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
3d May	Gent. Cadet Mr W. M. D. Wright, } " Mr. H. W. Hastings }	Europe,	Madras.
6th "	2d Lieut. C. R. Buckle,	Bassein,	"

DEPARTURES.

	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
1st May	Capt. (Bt. Major) H Lawford	Madras	Europe.
6th "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) J. W. F. Taylor, }	St. Thomas'	Secundera-
6th "	2d Lieut. A. Wynch }	Mount.	bad.
7th May	" A. P. Bainbridge,	Madras	Rangoon.
8th "	" H. L. Dempster,	St. Thomas' Mount	Cannanore
10th "	Captain F. G. Nuthall, }	Madras	Europe.
" "	2d Lieut. C. R. Buckle, }		
11th "	" J. W. Cottam	St. Thomas' Mount	Trichinopoly
29th "	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) W. S. Mann,	Madras	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
14th May	1st Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) H. E Hicks,	Promoted to Cap- tains, to complete the Establishment; date of Commis- sions 27th April 1858.
"	(") C. H. Harrison,	
"	(") B. C. Hitchins,	
"	(") J. H. Elwyn,	
"	(") S. Rippon,	
"	(") E. H. Couchman,	
"	(") G. B. B. Holmes,	

1858.	Names.	To.
	2d Lieut. H. L. Dempster,	Promoted to 1st Lieutenants, to complete the Establishment; date of Commissions 27th April 1858.
	„ G. Haggard,	
	„ J. W. Watkins,	
	„ D. D. Anderson,	
	„ F. C. Trevor,	
	„ D. J. McGregor,	
	„ B. L. Gordon,	
	„ W. R. D. Sewell,	
	„ J. G. Marshall,	
	„ G. A. Goldingham,	
	„ C. J. McMahon,	
	„ C. E. Watson,	
	„ S. H. E. Chamier,	
	„ H. McLeod,	
24th	„ Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) G. Carleton,	} To be Adjutant of the Horse Brigade, vice Couchman promoted.
	„ „ Adj. and Qr. Mr. 4th Battn. Arty.	
	„ „ Lieutenant G. B. Prior,	} To be Adjutant and Quarter Master 4th Battn. Artillery, vice Carleton.
	„ „ Adj. 5th Battn. Artillery,	
	„ „ Lieutenant G. F. Blair—To be Adjutant and Quarter Master 3d Battalion Artillery, vice Harrison promoted.	
	„ „ Lieutenant W. D. Forster.—To be Adjutant 5th Battalion Artillery, vice Prior.	
	„ „ Lieutenant R. Pope,	} To be Adjutant and Qr. Master of the Division of Madras Artillery with the Artillery Brigade of the Field Division under Major General Whitlock, vice Harrison.
	„ „ 4th Battalion Artillery.	
	„ „ Captain C. H. Harrison—To command No. 1 Light Field Battery during the absence of Captain and Brevet Major Kinhead, afterwards when relieved, to join and Command B. Company 4th Battalion Artillery with the Field Division under Major General Whitlock.	
	„ „ Lieutenant J. W. Watkins,	} To relieve Lieutenant W. A. Comy. 1st Battalion Arty. } D. Forster from the appointment of Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Artillery in the Straits.
	„ „ A. Comy. 1st Battalion Arty.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858. 7th May	Lieutenant M. C. Lawson } B. Comy. 4th Battn. Arty. }	.....	.....	.....	.....	To do duty with the C. Compy. 4th Battn. Arty at Bellary, until further orders.
11th "	1st Lieut. P. St. G Græme.	B.	H. B.	Foot Arty.		
21st "	E. Comy. 5th Battn. Arty..	Vizianagram		Cuttack		
	2d Suppl. Comy. "	Mount		Vizianagram		
14th "	Lieut. M. C. Lawson.....	B.	4th	B.	H. B.	To join Brigade Head Quarters.
	2d Lieut. H. Mc. Leod.....	C.	2d	B.	5th	To join at Singapore.
	" S. Penny.....	d.d	1st	C.	5th	To join the Company now on Service in Bengal on the expiration of his leave.
	" H. J. Thornton...	"	"	D.	2d	To join at Kamptee.
	" M. H. C. B. Stein-	"	"	C.	2d	
	man.....	"	"	"	"	To join.
	" R. T. Hamond....	"	"	C.	2d	
24th "	Lieut. P. St. G. Græme....	"	"	D.	2d	At Kamptee.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858 *Names.* *Where and Remarks.*
 21st May 2d Lieut. S. Penny—Bengal for 4 months from date of embarkation from Madras.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858. *Names.* *Remarks.*
 8th May Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) W. S. Mann—For 18 months } On medical
 2d Lieutenant C. R. Buckle—For 15 months. } certificate under the Regulations of 1854.
 21st " Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) P. Anstruther C. B } Leave extended for
 2d Lieutenant J. G. Marshall. } 6 months.
 " " Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) J. De C. Sinclair,—On medical certificate for 18th months, under the new Furlough Regulations.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1858.
 26th May 2d Lieut. F. S. Budd—Mangalore—Qualified for the General Staff under para 11, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853, No. 46.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

14th May 1858.

24th March 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Pegu Division, appointing Lieutenant Trevor, Artillery, to act as In-

terpreter to Her Majesty's 68th Regiment at Rangoon, without prejudice to his own Regimental duties.

18th May 1858.

8th March 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, authorizing the full feed of Gram being issued to the Horses of the B. and E. Troops Horse Artillery and No. 10 Horse Field Battery.

7th April 1858.—By the Officer Commanding 3d Battalion Artillery, appointing Lieutenant G. F. Blair of the 4th Battalion Artillery to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Battalion from 7th April 1858, vice Brevet Captain Stewart promoted.

RETIREMENT.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 200, dated 28th May 1858.

“ Captain John William Goad, of the Artillery, is permitted to retire from the Service on the pension of his rank “ from the 30th May 1858.”

Captain J. W. Goad was a Cadet of 1830, and arrived in India 14th January 1832—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 9th June 1831 ; as 1st Lieutenant 22d May 1840 ; as Captain in the Army 9th June 1846, and as Captain in the Regiment 11th May 1854.

Did duty with the 3d Battalion Artillery from 21st January to 13th August, and with the 2d Battalion from 13th August till posted to it on the 10th October 1832.

Passed examination as Interpreter in Hindoostanee 17th November 1832.

Removed to the 1st Battalion 14th May 1833.

Passed as Interpreter in Persian 24th June 1834.

Absent on Sick Certificate to the Presidency from 21st April to 24th August 1834.

Removed to the 3d Battalion 22d June 1836, to which Battalion he was Quarter Master and Interpreter from 5th

July 1836 to 14th September 1839, during which he was Absent on Sick Certificate to the Western Coast from 6th January 1838 to 15th January 1839,—Passed as Interpreter in Mahratta 22d June 1839.

Absent on Private affairs from 15th January to 14th September 1839. Absent on Sick Certificate to Europe from 14th September 1839 to 21st September 1842, during which he was removed to the 2d Battalion 23d June 1841.

Absent on Sick Certificate to the Presidency from 19th October 1843 to 2d May 1844, and to Europe from 2d May 1844 to 12th April 1847; during which he was removed to the 4th Battalion on the 5th July 1845, and to the 1st Battalion 8th August 1845.

Removed to the Golundauze Battalion 30th October 1847 and to the 2d Battalion 8th July 1848.

Was Sub Assistant Commissary General from 4th July 1848 to 8th July 1851, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General from 8th July, to 3d October 1851, during which he was Absent on Private Affairs to Madras from 1st March to 15th May 1851, and passed as Interpreter in Teloo goo 6th August 1851.—Received the Honorary Reward of Rupees 1000, 20th July 1852.

Was Deputy Assistant Commissary General from 3d October 1851 to 30th May 1858, during which he was, Absent on Sick Certificate to Penang from 1st July to 1st November 1852.—Removed to the 3rd Battalion 8th June 1854.—Absent on Sick Certificate to Sea and Neilgherries from 8th March 1854 to 18th November 1855.—Removed to the Golundauze Battalion 13th August 1856, and Absent on Sick Certificate to the Neilgherries from 1st November 1856 to 30th May 1858, the date of his retirement from the Service as 22d Captain.

COMPENSATION FOR LOSSES SUSTAINED BY EUROPEAN AND NATIVE OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 206, 1st June 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council

of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

**GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.**

Fort William, 11th May 1858.

No. 735 of 1858.—The Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council is pleased to modify the existing practice for the settlement, under Government General Order No. 278,* dated 26th February 1855, of compensation for losses sustained by European and Native Officers and Soldiers. Every such claim shall, as heretofore, be submitted through the Local Military Authorities, to the Commander-in-Chief, in the manner directed in Para. 9 of the above-mentioned Order. If His Excellency decide that the circumstances attending the loss justify the grant of compensation, the documents connected with the case will be sent direct from the Adjutant General's Office to the Military Auditor General, or to the Auditor of Commissariat Accounts, as the case may be, who will pass the claim at the rate and to the extent authorized by Rule, or will refer to Government for instructions on any doubtful point.

Unauthorised claims which may deserve special consideration will, as heretofore, be submitted to Government through His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

**HORSE ALLOWANCE FOR YOUNG OFFICERS ATTACHED TO
LIGHT FIELD BATTERIES FOR INSTRUCTION.**

G. O. G. No. 209, 4th June 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, with the sanction of the Government of India, to authorise Horse Allowance for young Officers attached to Light Field Batteries for instruction; to commence from the date of joining, of which a Certificate from the Commanding Officer will be required—with effect from 1st May 1858.

* Madras G. O. G. 16th March 1855, No. 77.

APPLICATIONS FROM OFFICERS FOR TRANSFER TO THE INVALID BATTALIONS, OR INVALID PENSION LIST.

G. O. C. C. No. 59, 1st June 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified, that applications from Officers for transfer at their own request to the Invalid Battalion or to the Invalid Pension List, under the provisions of para 3 of G. O. G. G. No. 819 of 1857, (republished in G. O. G. No. 210 of 10th July 1858,) are required to be addressed under their signature to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council in the manner prescribed in para 3, Section XXI, General Regulations of the Army.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION OF WIDOWS OF OFFICERS AND WARRANT OFFICERS TO BE SUPPORTED BY A MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE.

G. O. C. C. No. 60, 4th June 1858.—It is notified that application for the admission of Widows of Officers and Warrant Officers to the benefits of Lord Clive's Fund, are required to be supported by a marriage Certificate or an authenticated copy thereof, whenever procurable, and that the Form of declaration laid down in para 7, Section VII, of the Pay and Audit Regulations, is only admissible when a marriage Certificate cannot be obtained.

THE ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH ON PUBLIC SERVICE NOT TO BE MADE USE OF, EXCEPT ON OCCASIONS OF DECIDED PUBLIC IMPORTANCE.

G. O. C. C. No. 63, 8th June 1858.—It has been brought to notice of the Commander in Chief that the line of Electric Telegraph has latterly been unduly taken up by the transmission of Messages "on Service" of an ordinary nature such as might, without detriment to the public Service, have been despatched by post.

His Excellency calls upon all serving within the limits of this Command rigidly to abstain from making use of the Telegraph on Public Service except on occasions of decided public importance, in which a saving of time is indispensably necessary, and then to express themselves in the shortest possible terms.

Much Public and Private inconvenience has already arisen from the practice now foriddden.

SCALE OF SERVANTS ALLOWED TO OFFICERS PROCEEDING ON FOREIGN SERVICE BEYOND SEA.

G. O. G. No. 236, 18th June.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 4th June 1858.

No. 865 of 1858.—The Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council is pleased to authorize the following scale of Servants to be allowed to Officers proceeding on Foreign Service beyond Sea:—

General.....	14	Servants.
Colonel	12	„
Lieutenant-Colonel and Major..	6	„
Captain and Surgeon.....	4	„
Subaltern & Assistant Surgeon.	2	„

Regimental Staff and Mounted Officers, 2 additional Servants for each Charger for which Horse allowance is drawn.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

ALLOWANCES FOR THE INSTRUCTION &c.—OF THE 2^d AND 3^d COMPANIES OF EAST INDIAN DRIVERS.

G. O. C. C. No. 64, 11th June 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that, Government has sanctioned the Drill Establishment of an European Troop of Horse Artillery, on the same allowances as fixed for a Troop being allowed for the instruction of the men of the 2^d and 3^d Companies of East Indian Drivers now in course of organization at Bangalore, and has also authorized an allowance of Rupees (20) Twenty per mensem being passed to the Officers in Command for the provision of Books, Stationery &c., from the dates of their formation, until such time as they may be attached to Companies with Batteries.

CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT ADAPTED FOR MOUNTED DUTIES ALLOWED TO MEN OF COMPANIES OF EUROPEAN FOOT ARTILLERY ATTACHED TO LIGHT FIELD BATTERIES.

G. O. C. C. No. 66, 17th June 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government has authorized the men of the Companies of European Foot Artillery, attached to Light Field Batteries, being allowed Clothing and Equipment adapted for mounted duties.

3.—The following Ranks will accordingly be supplied with one pair of Cloth Overalls annually, and one pair of Spurs biennially under the provisions of para 102 of the Clothing Regulations, instead of the pair of Cloth and two pairs of Serge Trowsers sanctioned in para 40 of the above Regulations.

1 Battery Staff Serjeant.

2 Farriers or 3 Farriers when a battery is augmented to the War Establishment.

1 Company Staff Serjeant.

6 Serjeants.

2 Buglers.

2 Half Pay Buglers, and the whole of the Rank and File who under recent orders are to be trained to drive.

3.—Cloaks in lieu of great Coats will also be issued to the regular Mounted portion of the Company.

TWO FARRIERS AND A PUCKALLY TO BE ATTACHED TO LIGHT FIELD BATTERIES DRIVEN BY EUROPEANS ON THE PEACE ESTABLISHMENT.

G. O. C. C. No. 67, 14th June 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government has granted authority for two Farriers being attached to each of the Light Field Batteries driven by Europeans on the Peace Establishment, on the same Staff Allowances as is allowed in the Horse Brigade and in the East Indian Driver Companies.

A Puckally for each of the Batteries is also sanctioned.

LASCARS, PUCKALLIES, BHEASTIES &c. TO BE TRANSFERRED TO THE RANKS AS PRIVATES AT THE DISCRETION OF OFFICERS COMMANDING NATIVE CORPS.

G. O. C. C. No. 68, 14th June 1858.—The Commander in Chief leaves it discretionary with Officers Commanding Native Corps, to transfer Lascars, Puckallies, Bheasties, Artificers, Bazar Chowdries and Peons to the ranks as Privates without previous reference to Army Head Quarters provided the parties wishing the transfer are pronounced in all respects fit for the ranks and are not above 28 years of age.

Such of the above as are entitled by the Regulations to Pension will be allowed to reckon three fourths of their service at the time of transfer towards Pension in their new grade, but not towards good Conduct Pay, the service for which counts from date of transfer as Private.

The Monthly Returns shewing the transfer should also shew under the head "Alterations and Casualties" the amount of service each man so transferred, is entitled to count.

STANDARD HEIGHT OF REGIMENTAL LASCARS TO BE REDUCED TO 5 FEET 2 INCHES.

G. O. C. C. No. 70, 25th June 1858.—With reference to para 20, Section XXIX, General Regulations and to *G. O. C. C. 3d December 1857* para 5, the Commander in Chief directs that the Standard height of Regimental Lascars for the various branches of the Service be until further orders reduced from 5 feet 4 inches to 5 feet 2 inches.

Reducing for the present the standard height of Sepoys 2 inches.

WHITE CLOTHING DISCONTINUED IN EUROPEAN REGIMENTS, THE SUMMER CLOTHING TO CONSIST OF TWO SUITS OF "KHAKEE".

G. O. C. C. No. 71, 26th June 1858.—With the sanction of Government, the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that white Clothing shall be discontinued in the European Regiments of the Honorable Company's Army, and that for the future the summer Clothing of the European Soldiers shall consist of two suits of "Khakee" corresponding in pat-

tern and material with the Clothing recently sanctioned for the Royal Army in India.

2. Corps are permitted to wear out serviceable summer Clothing of the old pattern now in use; but in Regiments in which this Clothing requires to be renewed the new pattern now established is to be introduced without delay.

3. Patterns of the Clothing will be obtained, and supplied on payment on the application of Officers Commanding to the Adjutant General's Office Fort Saint George.

4. A complete suit including Cap cover should not exceed in cost Rupees 4-12-0.

5. The summer Clothing now authorized, will be supplied from the Clothing Agency at the Presidency to all Recruits of the Company's Service arriving at Madras between 1st February and 1st October, to be issued with the least possible delay after arrival of the Recruits.

A. O. 8th June 1858.—1. The following is published for general information and guidance.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 1913.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, 1st June 1858.

Read the following paper from the Adjutant General

Here enter 22d May 1858, No. 875.

The Governor in Council sanctions the issue of Clothing to replace that which has been worn out by men of the A. Company 2d Battalion of Artillery in breaking in young Horses for the Service.

The sanction now granted will, in future, be applied to all cases of a like nature, to be determined by His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

(Signed) W. H. WAPSHARE, Major,

Acting Deputy Secy. to Govt.

(True copy.)

(Signed) F. S. GABB, Major,

Deputy Adj. Genl. of the Army.

2. With reference to the foregoing, Commanding Offi-

cers are reminded that applications should be forwarded through the Local Authorities, with reference to A. O. No. 2 of 1858, dated 23d January 1858.

A. O. No 9, 10th June 1858.—II. Whenever circumstances render it inexpedient, or impracticable, to carry on the regular Artillery Annual Practice at a station, the following scale of Ammunition may be drawn for the instruction of Artillery Recruits in the practice of heavy Ordnance; and it being necessary that such Recruits should be so instructed, as well as in the practice of Light Field Guns and Mortars, for which arrangements have already been made, the full allowance of Ammunition now sanctioned will be drawn and expended.

SCALE FOR EACH RECRUIT.

Cartridges, serge, filled, Gun, 18 or 12 Pdr..	No. 15
Shot, round, iron, loose..... do	do
Wads, grummet..... do	do
Gunpowder, Madras, M. P.....	lbs $\frac{1}{2}$
Match. cotton, (16 yards per skein).....	skeins $\frac{1}{16}$

A. No. 10, 11th June 1858.—I. With reference to G. O. G. of the 4th instant* No.

* Authorizing Horse allowance for young Officers, attached to Light Field Batteries for instruction.

209, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that

young Officers are not to be attached to Light Field Batteries, until they are sufficiently advanced in their preliminary Drills for commencing instruction in Field movements of Batteries.

A. O. 14th June 1858.—I. His Excellency the Commander in Chief having expressed his opinion that the services of Majors Briggs and Black might be advantageously employed in the management of the Mount Mess, and there being no other Officers of rank available for this duty, the Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct these Officers shall, in future, take part in all Mess proceedings, and be eligible to serve either as President or Members of the Committee.

2. The Officer Commanding the Artillery Centre Division will, in future, intimate to the Director Artillery Depôt,

and to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, whenever a Mess Meeting is to be held, and at the same time specifying what subjects are to be brought before it; and should they be merely of routine, these Officers will attend if they can conveniently do so, but should there be any business of importance to be brought forward, it should be marked as such and it is expected that they will make it a point of attending,—two days notice of the assembly of a Mess Meeting must always be given.

A. O. No. 11, 18th June.—I. The following instructions, founded on a communication recently received from Army Head Quarters, regarding the preparation of Proceedings of Committees on claims of Heirs to Pension, are published for general information and guidance, and the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that they be strictly adhered to throughout the Regiment.

1. The Proceedings should be conducted agreeably to the instructions contained in G. O. C. C. 11th September 1848, No. 32, pages 368 to 379 inclusive, and G. O. C. C. 31st December 1850, No. 69.

2. The evidence of each witness examined must be fully entered, although it may be similar to what has been before deposed to.

3. The printed forms supplied from Artillery Head Quarters are not to be used, excepting for the fair Proceedings intended for eventual transmission to Army Head Quarters.

4. The Proceedings are to be most carefully prepared and examined before they are transmitted to Artillery Head Quarters. The Committee is to record a full description of every claimant, so as to prevent any possibility of the party to whom Pension is passed being hereafter personated by any other individual.

<p>* G. O. G. 14th July 1846, No. 158. G. O. G. 1st Sept. 1846, No. 203. G. O. G. 17th Nov. 1846, No. 255. G. O. C. C. 19th Nov. 1850. G. O. C. C. 5th Decr. 1850. G. O. C. C. 6th Jany. 1851.</p>

5. The General Orders as per margin* are to be explained to all witnesses who may be brought forward in support

of claims, and each one is to be cautioned against speaking to facts of which he or she is not personally cognizant.

6. Claims of parents on account of the death of their illegitimate children are to be admitted, but not those of illegitimate children on account of their fathers.

7. The Family certificate is invariably to be attached to the Proceedings, the Committee *particularly* observing that the entries in the descriptive roll, referring to the number, name, year of enlistment &c., of the deceased, are in exact accordance with the document attached, or any discrepancy is to be explained in a N. B. at the foot of the Proceedings.

8. The entry in the column "Personal appearance and particular marks" should be in accordance with para 10, part II, G. O. C. C. 11th September 1848.

9. Native Officers in attendance on the Committee being intended to watch the Proceedings, should not appear also in the capacity of witnesses,—if a Native Officer's appearing as a witness in a case becomes unavoidable, from the claimant not being able to produce another witness, he should not appear on the face of the Proceedings as a Native Officer in attendance.

10. The entry in the column "Occasion and date of decease" should be complete in itself, without reference to another document whether attached or not. If the casualty occurred at Sea while the deceased was proceeding to, or returning from, Foreign service, an entry should be made to that effect, shewing the particular service on which the deceased was employed at the time of death,—if the casualty occurred since he returned to the Coast of disease contracted on Foreign service, an entry to that effect, specifying also the particular place where the deceased died, should be made, in addition to a Medical certificate being attached.

11. When a claim is preferred as *nearest heir*, positive evidence should be recorded of the deceased never having been previously married, and that no male issue, by any previous marriage, exists.

12. Government have authorized that, in the event of a nominated heir being in the service, he should be offered the option of resigning and preferring his claim to the pension due on account of a deceased father, and in the event of declining to do so at once, he should be distinctly informed that no future claim of his, on account of the deceased, will be admitted. The claim of the nearest heir is then to be investigated.

13. Claimants should be designated by their correct names, an uniform orthography of which should be observed throughout the Proceedings,—the names should also be perfectly legible and written in full,—abbreviations, such as “Mah^d.” for “Mahomed,” are not to be used,—if the real name of a claimant does not correspond with the Regimental register, the discrepancy should be explained at the foot of the Proceedings in a N. B. In the event of a Medical certificate being attached to a claim, care should be taken that the orthography of the name of the deceased, his rank, number &c., correspond with the Proceedings.

His Excellency the Commander in Chief has directed that each set of Proceedings be very carefully supervised before they are countersigned, as, owing to a want of proper attention on the part of Committees and Commanding Officers, much inconvenience to the public service, as well as additional correspondence to all the departments concerned, has been occasioned.

A. O. 23d June 1858.—IX. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has much gratification in publishing to the Regiment, the subjoined communication from Army Head Quarters, with its enclosure, commending, in high terms, the conspicuously gallant conduct of Captain A. W. Macintire of the Horse Brigade, and Commandant of the 2d Regiment of Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent, in the engagement at Banda on the 19th of April 1858.

No. 1125.

To,

The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery.

Sir,—I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to forward copy of letter from the Officer Commanding Saugor Field Division dated 29th ultimo No. 177, bringing to notice the gallant deeds of Captain Macintire of the Regiment of Artillery, in order that this testimony to the heroic conduct of that Officer may be placed on the records of the distinguished Regiment to which that Officer belongs.

I have the honor to be &c.,

(Signed) W. G. WOODS, Lieut. Col.,
Adjutant General of the Army.

ADJT. GENL.'S OFFICE,
 HEAD QRS. OOTACAMUND, }
 18th June 1858.

No. 177.

To,

COLONEL BIRCH C. B.

Military Secretary to Government of India.

Sir,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your

• No. 363—Calling for Roll of letter of the 23d instant, number and subject as per margin.*
 men of the Hyderabad Rissalah.

It was necessary to address Captain Macintire on the matter who was then on detached duty, and I now beg to forward a Nominal Roll of men whom I would most respectfully and warmly recommend to the favorable notice of the Right Honorable the Governor General, for such reward as his Lordship may be pleased to consider their gallant bearing in the fight of the 19th of April merits. I have, in conformity with instructions, specified the degree of reward I consider appropriate.

I have now brought before the Right Honorable the Governor General, the names of the native portion of the detachment of Rissalah who merit, I consider, such distinction; but I should fail in my duty if I omitted the name of Cap-

tain A. W. Macintire of the Madras Artillery, their worthy leader.

When I observed the advance of the Rissalah to attack, I galloped to the point; and never was more conspicuous gallantry, or cooler courage, displayed than on that occasion.

A deep ravine broke the formation of the squadron, which obstacle had to be crossed in single long separated files, and a front to be reformed, under fire of Infantry and Artillery, supported by disciplined Cavalry scarce thirty paces distant. I cannot deny but I felt a painful anxiety for the result,—all however proved most successful. In the conflict fifteen of the enemy fell under the Sabre of this Officer, and in the pursuit many were cut down, and his life rescued on various occasions by the gallant bearing of his men.

At one period of the fight Captain Macintire was separated from his men by the difficulties of the ground, when he was attacked simultaneously by four mounted rebels, two of whom he shot, the others fled, and Captain Macintire was too exhausted to pursue.

Many other acts of the most spirited and devoted gallantry were performed by this distinguished Officer during the action, and I hope I may be permitted, in recording such gallant bearing, to recommend Captain Macintire as worthy of being honored with the consideration of the Governor General.

Captain Macintire has been more than 26 years in the service, out of which he has been only 8 months, on medical certificate, absent from his duty, and he will be a Brevet Major in a few months.

I have the honor to be &c.,

(Signed) G. C. WHITLOCK, Major General,
Commanding Saugor Field Division.

BANDA,
29th May 1858. }

(True copy.)

(Signed) W. G. WOODS, Lieut. Col.,
Adjutant General of the Army.

ARRIVALS.

1858	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
7th June	Lieut. R. C. Henchy,	Aden	Madras.
"	Gent. Cadet W. H. Montgomerie,	Europe	"
"	" W. Bisset,		
11th "	Capt. (Bt. Major) E. Brice,	Banda	"
20th "	Gent. Cadet The <i>Hon'ble</i> A. B. } de Montmorency,	Europe	"
"	" C. H. A. Gower,		
"	" M. M. Bowie,		
"	" P. M. Rolland,		

DEPARTURES.

1858	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
7th June	2d Lieut. S. Penny,	St Thomas' Mount	Bengal.
13th "	Lieut. G. B. Prior	"	Secunderabad
18th "	Capt. J. D. Scott,	"	Bangalore
" "	2d Lieut. J. Ketchen,		
" "	" M. H. C. B. Steinman,		
" "	" R. T. Hamond,		
19th "	" H. J. Thornton,	"	Kamptee
22d "	Lieut. R. C. Henchy,	Madras	Raichore District
25th "	Major E. Brice,	"	Secunderabad

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
1st June	Senior 1st Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) W. S. Mann—To be Captain.	Vice Goad retired : date of commissions, 31st May 1858.
	Senior 2d Lieut. J. C. Taylor—To be 1st Lieutenant.	
8th "	Supy. Lieut. Col. (Major General) F. Blundell, C. B. }	To be Colonel, vice Clarke deceased ; date of commission, 4th May 1858.
" "	Gent. Cadet Mr. W. H. Montgomerie, }	
" "	" Mr. W. Bisset,	Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.
11th "	Lieut. C. Desborough.—Promoted to the rank of Captain by Brevet, from 9th June 1858.	
" "	Lieut. General E. M. G. Showers.—Promoted to the rank of General, dated 27th January 1858.	
	Gent. Cadet, The <i>Hon'ble</i> A. B. } de Montmorency,	Admitted upon the Establishment and pro- moted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.
"	" Mr. C. H. A. Gower,	
"	" Mr. M. M. Bowie,	
"	" Mr. P. M. Rolland,	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858.	C. Comy. 2d Battn. with } No. 5 Horse Battery.	Mount		Bangalore		
8th June	Capt. (Bt Major) G. Selby...	E.	5th	A. 1	5th	Europe S. C.
10th "	Capt. R. G. H. Grant.....	C.	5th	H. B. Non Effective.		Europe S. C.
	" H. E. Hicks.....	late promotion.		C.	2d	Europe S. C.
	" C. H. Harrison.....		do.	B.	4th	To join when relieved from the command of No. 1 Light Field Battery as already ordered in G. O. C. C. 24th May 1858.
	" B. C. Hitchins		do.	D.	5th	Europe S. C.
	" J. H. Elwyn.....		do.	E.	5th	His present Company.
	" S. Rippon.....		do.	C.	5th	Staff (Europe S. C.)
	" E. H. Couchman.....		do.	A.	2d	To join on being relieved from present duty.
	" G. B. B. Holmes.....		do.	H. B. Non Effective.		To continue to do duty with the F. Troop Horse Brigade.
	" W. S. Mann.....		do.	A.	1st	Europe S. C.
	Lt. (Bt Capt.) G. Carleton.	C.	4th	C.	H. B.	Adjutant Horse Brigade.
	Lieut. G. B. Prior.....	E.	5th	C.	4th	Adjutant and Qr. Master 4th Battalion.
	" G. C. M. Martin.....	D.	H. B.	F.	H. B.	To join the F. Troop serving with the Saugor Field Division on the completion of the duty in which now employed in Bengal.
	" G. F. Blair.....	D.	4th	C.	3d	Adjutant and Quarter Master 3d Battalion.
	" H. L. Dempster.....	late promotion.		D.	5th	Present Company.
	" G. Haggard.....		do.	C.	3d	Present Company.
	" J. W. Watkins.....		do.	A.	1st	Present Company—Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master Artillery in the Straits.
	" D. D. Anderson.....		do.	A.	H. B.	Present Troop.
	" F. C. Trevor.....		do.	D.	1st	Present Company.
	" D. J. McGrigor.....		do.	A.	1st	Present Company.
	" B. L. Gordon.....		do.	E.	H. B.	Present Troop.
	" W. R. D. Sewell.....		do.	F.	H. B.	Present Troop.
	" J. G. Marshall.....		do.	B.	2d	Europe S. C.
	" G. A. Goldingham.....		do.	C.	5th	Present Company.
	" C. J. Mc Mahon.....		do.	B.	5th	Present Company.
	" C. E. Watson.....		do.	B.	2d	Present Company.
	" S. H. E. Chamier...		do.	F.	H. B.	To continue with A. Company 2d Battn. Arty. in Bengal, until further orders.
	" H. Mc Leod.....		do.	B.	5th	Present Company.
	" J. C. Taylor.....		do.	A.	4th	Present Company.
17th "	Colonel (Major General) F. Blundell C. B.	late promotion.			1st	
21st "	Lieut. G. A. Goldingham...	C.	5th	H.	Brigade	
23d "	" R. C. Henchy..... } B Troop H. A. }					To proceed by dawk at the public expense to join the 4 E. Troop H. A. on Field Service in the Raichore District

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

28th May 1858.

30th April 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, directing 2d Lieutenant Caine arrived at Kamptee, from Raipore in command of a detachment of D. Company 3d Battalion Artillery, to do duty with the Head Quarters 2d Battalion.

18th June 1858.

4th May 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Saugor Field Division, authorizing at the recommendation of the Brigadier Commanding Artillery, an issue of 3 lbs of Kirby or straw to each horse of the A. Troop Horse Artillery, from the 4th May 1858.

15th May 1858.—By the same, authorizing 3 lbs, of Kirby or straw extra to each horse of the F. Troop Horse Artillery and No. 1 Horse Battery, from the 15th May 1858, in consequence of the scarcity and inferior quality of the Forage.

29th May 1858.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, directing Lieutenant G. B. Prior, Adjutant and Quarter Master of the 4th Battalion, to continue to act as Adjutant of the 5th Battalion, until his departure from the Mount.

12th June 1858.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Artillery, appointing Lieutenant (Captain) H. G. Bishop, to act as Adjutant to the Battalion from the 12th June 1858, until the arrival of Lieutenant Forster, or until further orders, without prejudice to his appointment as Quarter Master to the Battalion, vice Lieutenant G. B. Prior

DEATH.

In Europe, on the 3d May 1858, Colonel (General) T. Clarke, Artillery.

Colonel (General) T. Clarke was a Cadet of 1779, and arrived in India the same year—Date of commission as 2d Lieutenant 20th October 1780; as 1st Lieutenant 12th October 1781; as Captain 22d July 1788; as Major 3d May

1796; as Lieutenant Colonel 16th October 1801; as Colonel 25th July 1810; as Major General 4th June 1813; as Lieutenant General 27th May 1825; and as General 23d November 1841.

Was posted to the Battalion of Coast Artillery until the formation of the 1st and 2d Battalions on the 20th May 1786.

Was Aide-de-Camp to Colonel James the Commandant of Artillery, upon the Army taking the Field under Sir Hector Munro, on the invasion of the Carnatic by Hyder Ally Cawn in August 1780, till Colonel James retired from the Army at the close of that year; on the 10th September 1780, when the Army advanced from the village of Conjeveram, to form a junction with Lieutenant Colonel Baillie's detachment, Lieutenant Clarke had been ordered forward with a party of Pioneers to form a road over a swamp for the passage of the Artillery, when two wounded Sepoys came to him, and communicated the intelligence of the defeat and capture of the whole of Colonel Baillie's force by the main body of the enemy's army under Hyder's son Tippoo Saib; Lieutenant Clarke immediately returned and personally reported the event to the Commander-in-Chief, who upon receiving the intelligence, gave orders for the army to fall back on the village of Conjeveram and subsequently to the neighbourhood of Madras. On Colonel James' retirement, Lieutenant Clarke rejoined his own Corps and moved in the succeeding campaign with the army under Sir Eyre Coote, and continued with it, until a severe wound compelled him in June 1781 to return into quarters.

Commanded the Artillery in Fort Saint George from 1783 to 1786.

Was Quarter Master of the 2d Battalion from its formation on the 20th May 1786 (on which date, he was posted to that Battalion) till his promotion to Captain in July 1788.

Served in the campaigns against Tippoo Sultan from the beginning of 1790 to the end of that year with the Army under General Sir William Meadows, and in the subsequent

*Edward. No.
38.*

James's

campaign of 1791 and 1792 with the same army under Lord Cornwallis, until the peace made with Tippoo Sultan under the walls of Seringapatam. Commanded the Artillery attached to the Brigade of Infantry headed by Major Gowdie, which advanced to the rescue of the British Cavalry, when thrown into disorder and retreat, and in danger of being destroyed, by having made an imprudent dash at the Camp of Tippoo's Army under the walls of Bangalore.

Commanded the 1st Battalion Artillery from the 20th June 1795 to the 31st January 1796 (date of removal to the Battalion not known), and removed to the 2d Battalion 4th August 1796.

Commanded the Artillery with the Southern Division of the Army under General (afterwards) Sir John Floyd, from January 1797 to February 1798.

Was Commissary of Stores Fort Saint George and Commanding the Artillery in the Garrison from February 1798 to 30th September 1804; during which he was directed in G. O. G. 7th June 1799 to recruit for a Company of Gollundauze for service at the Presidency, which he commanded till it was broken up on the 31st March 1802, and removed to the 1st Battalion between March 1801 and Sept. 1802.

Absent on Furlough to Europe from 1st October 1804 to 15th October 1808, and on private affairs to the Presidency from 15th October 1808 to 20th January 1809. Was Commissary of Stores (by special appointment of the Court of Directors) at the Presidency from 21st January to 30th April 1809; during which he was removed to the 2d Battalion 15th April 1809.

Was Commandant of Artillery from 1st May 1809 till his embarkation for Europe on Furlough, 14th March 1811 (during which he had been removed to the 1st Battalion 17th March 1810,) where he died, as senior Colonel of the Regiment on the 3d May 1858.

REGULATIONS REGARDING REPORTS.

G. O. C. C. No. 72, 5th July 1858.—The Commander in
 Paras 29 and 29, Section VII, General Regulations. Chief directs attention
 G. O. C. C. 11th September 1849, No. 28. to the following regu-
 lation regarding Reports.

1. "When troops may be called out for the purpose of
 "quelling Riots, putting down insurgents, or of being em-
 G. O. C. C. 11th September 1849, "ployed in any other way out of
 No. 38. This will become para 29-1, Section "the ordinary course, the Officer
 VII, General Regulations. "by whose orders they have been attached, shall in addition
 "to any other Reports required by the Regulations of the
 "Service, to be made to other Authorities, *immediately*
 "transmit *direct* to the Adjutant General of the Army, copies
 "of any requisition for Troops which he may have received
 "and also report the measures he may have adopted to meet
 "the requisition, &c., &.

2. "When Troops may be employed as in the preceed-
 "ing para, the Officer in Command of the party shall in ad-
 This will become para 29-2, Section "dition to any other reports requir-
 VII, General Regulations. "ed by the Regulations of the Ser-
 "vice to be made to other Authorities, *immediately* and from
 "time to time to transmit *direct* to the Adjutant General of
 "the Army, reports of the operations of the party and of the
 "details of any encounter with the Enemy and their re-
 "sults."

A Copy of para 2, of the above order, is invariably to be
 given to the Officer in Command of the party, by the Brig-
 adier or other authority ordering the party to be detached.

ESTABLISHMENT OF HORSEKEEPERS FOR HORSE FIELD
BATTERIES.

G. O. C. C. No. 75, 7th July 1858.—With reference to
 General Orders noted in the margin, the Commander in Chief
 Dated 18th October 1856 No. 81. directs it to be notified that Go-
 Fixing the Establishment of Horse vernment has sanctioned Horse
 Keepers for Horse Field Batteries.

Field Batteries in the Field when driven by Europeans or East Indians reverting to the Establishment of Horse Keepers laid down in G. O. C. C. 7th December 1853, No. 81.

OFFICERS RESIGNING AN APPOINTMENT TO BE RELIEVED FROM THE DUTIES OF SUCH APPOINTMENT ON THE DATE FIXED.

G. O. C. C. No. 76, 7th July 1858.—Under instructions from Government, the Commander in Chief directs that whenever a prospective date is fixed for the resignation of an appointment, the Officer be relieved from the duties of such appointment on that date, as required by Para 1, Head "Retirement," Page 169, Pay and Audit Regulations in the case of Officers resigning or retiring from the service.

REGULATING THE TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE TO REJECTED RECRUITS.

G. O. C. C. No. 77, 7th July 1858.—With reference to para 18, Section XXIX, Recruiting, page 370 General Regulations, the Commander in Chief, with the sanction of Government directs that in future, the regulated travelling allowance be disbursed to rejected Recruits only to the stations at which they were enlisted, and not to their Native Villages unless they actually proceeded therefrom to the place of enlistment, in which case a certificate to that effect from the drawing Officer should accompany the charge for Batta to the Native Village.

WHEN CHARGES ARE PREFERRED LIKELY TO LEAD TO GENERAL COURT MARTIAL, A COURT OF ENQUIRY TO ASSEMBLE TO INVESTIGATE THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE.

G. O. C. C. No. 78, 8th July 1858.—In republishing the following General Order, the Commander in Chief directs that the instructions contained therein may never be overlooked when it is at all possible to give effect to them.

G. O. C. C. 28th October 1856.

No. 83.—When charges are preferred against an individual, which are likely to lead to his being arraigned before a Ge-

neral Court Martial, the Senior Officer on the spot is to direct the assembly of a Court of Inquiry for the purpose of investigating the circumstances of the case, the Proceedings of which are to be forwarded to the General Officer Commanding the Division, who will exercise his discretion in forwarding the Charge with the result of the Inquiry to Head Quarters, should he deem any ulterior measure necessary, or in directing the release of the accused, if of opinion that the allegations are frivolous or unfounded, or that an admonition from himself will suffice.

ADMITTING CERTAIN GRADES NOT PROVIDED FOR IN G. O.

G. G. 26TH FEBRUARY 1855, TO COMPENSATION FOR LOSSES.

G. O. G. No. 264, 9th July 1858.—The Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract of a despatch from the Government of India to the Government of Bombay, dated the 20th September 1855, No. 678, admitting certain grades not provided for in G. O. G. G. 26th February 1855, No. 278*, to compensation for losses, the provisions of which are declared to be applicable in future to corresponding grades in this Presidency.

“ Half Pay Drummers and Recruit Boys will be allowed compensation for any articles of Regimental necessaries they may be obliged to keep up.”

“ As Hospital Assistants in the Bombay Army are a cor-

* Corresponding with 2d Dressers in the Madras Army. “ responding class to Native* Doc-

† Corresponding with Medical Apprentices in this Presidency. “ tors in Bengal, they appear to

“ have a fair claim, and one and a half month’s pay and full

“ batta are accordingly fixed as a maximum. Hospital†

“ Apprentices appear to be equally entitled.”

“ Store Lascars when proceeding by water in charge of

“ Magazine Stores may be compensated for unavoidable losses

“ to the extent of one month’s pay.”

“ As compensation is allowed for the purpose of enabling

• Published in G. O. G. 16th March 1855, No. 77.

“ Officers and Soldiers to re-equip themselves for service, women and children are not considered to be entitled there- to; and Guides, Tent Lascars and Bhistees are held to be equally ineligible under the Bengal rules.”

“ The actual value of Regimental necessities at the time of loss is the maximum compensation to be allowed to European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers.”

ALL CONTINGENT ORDERS AFFECTING THE ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT TO BE COMMUNICATED TO THE INSPECTOR GENERAL.

G. O. C. C. No. 79, 10th July 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs that all Contingent orders affecting the general arrangements of the Ordnance Department issued within the discretion of Officers Commanding Divisions or Stations, be communicated without loss of time to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, to assist him in carrying on the general arrangements of the Ordnance Service.

PRINTED PROCEEDINGS OF MEDICAL INVALIDING COMMITTEES TO BE PREPARED IN DUPLICATE.

G. O. C. C. No. 80, 14th July 1858.—With reference to the orders noted in the margin publishing rules regarding the assembly of Medical Invaliding

*G. O. C. C. 1st November 1845, No. 63.
do 31st December 1852, No. 71.*

Committees for the examination of Soldiers considered unfit for further service, the Commander in Chief directs that in future all printed Proceedings be prepared in Duplicate and submitted to Medical Committees for the purpose of being completed and transmitted to Head Quarters.

Printed Rolls for the transfer of European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers to the Pension Establishment at their own request, will likewise be prepared in duplicate and transmitted to Head Quarters.

Applications for such additional Forms as may be required will be made agreeably to *G. O. C. C. 22d April 1857,*

No. 13, to Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces to whom fresh supplies of forms will be forwarded from the Adjutant General's Office at the Presidency.

RETENTION OF STAFF APPOINTMENT BEYOND 15 MONTHS' ABSENCE ON SICK LEAVE ONLY TO BE SANCTIONED ON "SPECIAL GROUNDS."

G. O. G. No. 275, 20th July 1858.—The following Extracts from a Military Despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors, are published.

Letter dated 16th June 1858, No 95.

To Court Letter dated 11th February 1858, No. 25.
 1. Extension of leave without loss of appointment to Surgeon James Shaw Superintendent of the Eye Infirmary.

28. This is the third instance within a very short time in which the privilege of continued tenure of Staff appointment has been recommended merely on the ground of a continuation of the Medical Certificates. If this system were admitted, the Rule which limits absentees to the privilege of fifteen months' absence on medical certificate must necessarily be abandoned.

29. You will have seen by our letters of the dates noted in the *margin that we have declined to sanction the retention of Staff Appointments beyond the term of 15 months recommended on the ground of continued sickness. The Regulations state that such retention of Office can be only sanctioned on "special grounds," to be reported to us and subject to our approbation.

* 19th January 1858, No. 9, para 20.
 18th May 1858, No. 84, para 14.

RULES RELATIVE TO STAFF ALLOWANCE TO OFFICIATING STAFF OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 283, 23d July 1858.—In accordance with the orders of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, communicated through the Government of India, the Governor in Council directs that the following rules be substituted for that published in *G. O. G. 12th May 1857, No. 138*, which is hereby cancelled.

I. No Officer appointed to act for another is entitled to full staff pay until he has performed the duties of the appointment for six months.

II. Officiating Staff Officers, though in receipt of full allowances, when absent on other than privilege leave, forfeit all claim to any portion of the Staff Salary of the appointment, and the rule in para 7, "Absence" Section XXI, page 432 of the Code of Pay and Audit Regulations (as modified by subsequent orders respecting privilege leave) is applicable to all acting Staff Officers, including those officiating for Staff Officers absent on leave to Europe or elsewhere beyond Sea under the Furlough Regulations of 1854.

2. This order is to have effect from 1st August 1858.

* Directing all alterations, casualties, and removals among men entered in the Annual Recommendation Rolls (No. 1, 2, & 3) to be reported to the Adjutant General of the Army.

A. O. No. 12, 2d July 1858.—1. A recent instance of inattention to para*

16, Section 1, page 9, of the General Regulations of the Army, having occasioned public inconvenience, and it being understood that the instructions therein contained are frequently either lost sight of by Commanding Officers, or are not attended to in all cases, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the reports be invariably and immediately made, whenever casualties or alterations of any kind occur among the men whose names appear in the Annual Reports and Recommendation Rolls.

A. O. No. 13, 2d July 1858.—II. With reference to *A. O. No. 27* dated 18th November 1847, and *A. O. No. 15* of 1856 dated 4th September 1856, the Commandant of Artillery directs that, prior to the departure of men from any station, whether on duty or otherwise, specific orders as to the authority to whom they are to report themselves on arrival at their destinations, are to be given to them by their immediate Commanding Officers.

A. O. 21st July 1858.—II. *A. O. No. 33* dated 18th

March 1853 having, on two recent occasions, been lost sight of, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs its republication and the attention of all Commanding Officers thereto.

" No. $\frac{4}{5}$. Under instructions from Army Head Quarters, " men temporarily promoted under the provisions of para 2, " head " Non-Commissioned and inferior Staff", page 452, " Pay and Audit Regulations, are, while holding the rank and " receiving pay as Non-Commissioned Officers, to be considered liable to removal only under the provisions of the " 127th Article of War."

A. O. 26th July 1858.—I. With reference to G. O. G. 11th May 1858, No. 169, republishing G. O. G. G. 30th April 1858 No. 674, authorizing the issue to European Soldiers of Haversacks as Camp equipage, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, under instructions from Army Head Quarters, directs it to be notified that European Soldiers are not, in future, to provide themselves with a Haversack as an article of Regimental necessities in Garrison.

ARRIVALS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
17th June	Lieut. R. C. B. Highmoor,	Europe	Calcutta.
9th July	Lieut. (Bt Capt.) E. W. Dance,	Moulmein	Madras.
„ „	Lieut. G. C. M. Martin,	Calcutta	„
24th „	Gent. Cadet Mr. W. Wyndham,	Europe	„
	„ Mr. W. E. Lockhart,		
	„ G. B. Macdonell,		
	„ A. W. O. Whinyates,		
25th „	Lieut. Colonel W. H. Miller,	{ Saugor Field Divi- sion via Calcutta }	
	2d Lieut. F. E. Hadow,	Cuttack	„

DEPARTURES.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
9th May	Lieut. (Bt Capt.) J. De C. Sinclair,	Bombay	Europe.
23rd July	Lieut. G. C. M. Martin,	Madras	Secunderabad.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	Names.	To.
7th July	Lieut. L. F. C. Thomas,	Appointed Commissary of Ordnance to the Lucknow Field Force.
27th „	Gent. Cadet Mr. W. Wyndham,	Admitted upon the Es- tablishment and promo- ted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.
	„ Mr. W. E. Lockhart,	
	„ Mr. G. B. Macdonell,	
30th „	„ Mr. A. W. O. Whinyates,	Do. Do.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858 8th July	Lt. (Bt. Capt.) R. Cadell .. Lieut. R. C. B. Highmoor.	C. A.	5th 2d	A. A.	3d 3d	To join. To join as soon as his ser- vices with Recruits in Bengal can be dispensed with.
	„ G. A. Goldingham, Horse Brigade...	.....	.....	.....	.....	To continue to do duty with the C. Company 5th Battalion in Bengal until further orders.
15th „	Lieut. G. C. M. Martin.....	F. F.	H. B. H. B.	B. B.	H. B. H. B.	To join forthwith.
27th „	Lieut. G. C. M. Martin.....	B.	H. B.	E.	H. B.	To join at Secunderabad forthwith.
	„ R. C. Henchy.....	B.	H. B.	E.	H. B.	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858	Names.	Where and Remarks.
1st July	2d Lieut. F. E. Hadow.—	Presidency S. C. to enable him to obtain a final medical certificate to Europe.
8th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell.—	In continuation from 1st May to 11th May 1858—To enable him to join.
27th „	Lieut. M. B. S. Lloyd, Offg. Depy. Commr. in Pegu.	Sixty days privilege leave from 16th January to 17th March, and general leave from the 17th to the 22d March.
30th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) E. Brice, Horse Artillery.	
		Hyderabad, Bangalore and the Neilgherries S. C. from date of departure for 2 years.

SERVICES.

1858	<i>Namcs</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
6th July	Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell, Horse Artillery, temporarily doing duty A. Com. 3d Bat- talion Artillery in Bengal.	Services placed at the dis- posal of the Government of India for employment with the Artillery of the Hyderabad Contingent

REGULATIONS REGARDING CONVALESCENT DEPOTS.

G. O. C. C. No. 87, 2d August 1858.—The Commander in Chief with the sanction of Government, directs the publication of the following regulations regarding Convalescent Depôts.

1. The tour in all Military or Medical appointments at Sanitary Stations is limited to two years, and the relief of Officers nominated to these duties will take place, periodical-ly on the 1st January.

2. Applications from Officers to be appointed to do duty at the Convalescent Depôt are to be transmitted so as to reach Head Quarters by the 15th January, and must be accompa-nied in all cases, by a medical certificate, shewing that the state of their health is such as to render removal to a Hill climate advisable.

3. When an application is founded on the state of health of any Member of an Officer's family, it will be the duty of the Officer Commanding the Division to satisfy himself, from the report of the Surgeon of the Corps, that a residence in the Hills is essentially necessary to the recovery of the person, before forwarding the application.

4. The following rules are to be observed in transferring sick men to the several Convalescent Depôts in the Hills.

5. Medical Officers with Corps or Detachments of Euro-peans are enjoined to select such cases only as are likely to benefit from a residence in a Hill climate.

6. Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers sent to the Depôts on account of their health are, when not actually in

Hospital to be considered as "Out Patients" subject to such restraint as the Medical Officer in charge may consider it necessary to impose upon them.

Rolls of men recommended to be sent to the Depôts are to be prepared in triplicate on Demi paper, according to the following Form.

Roll of Men of the ———— who are recommended to be sent to the Convalescent Depôt at ———— for change of Climate ————

Station and date

Name and Rank.	Age.		Length of Service.		Disease.	Summary of the case and treatment.	Character.	Remarks by the Committee.
	Years.	Months.	Years.	Months.				

Exd. ————
Adjutant — Regiment.

——— Lieut.-Colonel.
Comdg. — Regiment.
——— Brigadier.
Comdg. — Station.

Surgeon Regiment.

——— Surgeon and President.
——— do Member.
——— do do
——— do do
——— Major General.
Comdg. — Division.

7. The men are to be presented before Special Medical Committees for examination, and after the Proceedings are closed, one copy of the Roll is to be forwarded to the Officer Commanding the Depôt and the remaining two retained, one for deposit in the Regimental Staff Office, and the other for delivery to the Medical Officer who may proceed with the party.

8. A numerical Return of the men selected for a residence at the Depôt specifying their rank and the Corps to which they respectively belong, is to be forwarded by Officers Commanding Divisions to the Adjutant General of the Ar-

my, when the necessary orders will be issued for the transfer of the men. In the case of Queen's Troops, a Duplicate Return of the men, is to be sent by post to the Deputy Adjutant General Her Majesty's Forces.

9. Convalescents are not to be sent to the Depôts except under charge of a Commissioned or Non-Commissioned Officer according to the strength of the party.

10. The men are invariably to be furnished with Passports, Pay and Ration Certificates.

11. Should the party be under charge of a Non-Commissioned Officer he is to be furnished with written orders to report his party on arrival at a Military Station.

12. Officers Commanding Corps and Detachments are to see that no sick men are sent away without a proper supply of woollen Clothing for use on the Hills, and the Non-Commissioned or Officer in charge will be held responsible that the men put on their warm clothing before ascending the Ghat.

13. As a general rule, Convalescents are to be despatched from their Stations sufficiently early to ensure their reaching the Dépôt, not later than the 15th April, nor are they to be allowed to leave it on return to rejoin their Corps or proceed to any other Station after the 15th January, thus avoiding in both cases exposure to the heat of the plains at the most trying season.

14. The Officer in charge of the Dépôt will forward a Monthly Return in the annexed form to the Adjutant General of the Army, shewing the number of Men at the Dépôt. This Return will also include the Men of Her Majesty's Service, at the Dépôt: for whom a separate return is to be forwarded to the Deputy Adjutant General Her Majesty's Forces.

Commanding Convalescent Depôt.

Days.	Mornings.	Evenings.	Remarks.
Sundays.....	Divine Service....	Roll Call.....	
Mondays.....	Squad Drill.....	do	
Tuesdays.....	Squad Drill.....	do	
Wednesdays.....	Kit Inspection.....	do	
Thursdays.....	Squad Drill.....	do	
Fridays.....	Squad Drill.....	do	
Saturdays.....	Washing Barracks.	do	

Nos. of Letters received during the month were—
Station and date.

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SUPPLY OF RATIONS TO EUROPEAN COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 305, 6th August 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

**GENERAL ORDER BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT
OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.**

Fort William 19th July 1858.

No. 1096 of 1858.—The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of Government General Order No 1371,* of the 30th October 1857, to all European Commissioned Officers in cases of actual necessity when other sources of supply fail, but not otherwise, the cost of the ration being fixed at an uniform rate of eight annas per ration for each Officer, inclusive of all Contingent charges, but exclusive of the cost of Rum which is to be charged for separately.

CLOTHING OF CORPS, FOR WHICH INDENTS AND MEASUREMENT ROLLS ARE NOT RECEIVED BY 31ST JULY, TO BE MADE UP BY SIZES.

G. O. C. C. No. 88, 13th August 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that in all cases in which the Clothing Indents and Measurement Rolls of Corps are not received by the Clothing Department at the latest by the 31st July in each year, the Clothing of such Corps will be made up by sizes as hitherto.

Commanding Officers failing to furnish their Indents, &c., as above will be held personally responsible for any loss, inconvenience or outlay that may arise from such neglect.

**DIRECTING REMOVAL OF PARA. 10 PAGE 442 PAY CODE,
PROVIDING FOR STAFF DUTIES OF MIXED DETACHMENTS
&c.**

G. O. G. No. 322, 20th August 1858.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that para 10, page 442, be re-

* Madras G. O. G. 13th November 1857, No. 358.

moved from the Pay Code of 1848, and considered as cancelled by G. O. dated Fort William, 19th September 1851, No. 495, (republished at this Presidency in G. O. G. 17th October 1851, No. 197,) providing for the Staff duties of mixed detachments formed for active service or for the performance of important duties whether of an offensive or defensive nature, which Order was declared applicable to the three Presidencies.

**THE INFANTRY MANUAL FOR THE LONG OR SHORT RIFLES
TO BE INTRODUCED INTO ALL CORPS WITH MODIFICATIONS**

G. O. C. C. No. 89, 20th August 1858.—With reference to G. O. C. C. 1st July 1858 No. 73, the Commander in Chief directs that the Infantry Manual thereby ordered to be introduced into Corps of the Madras Army armed with the long or short Rifle be introduced into all Corps in this Army with the following modifications.

1. The Manual and Platoon exercises as laid down for “the long Rifle” to be applicable to the smooth bore Percussion Musket with modifications as under.

2. The manual and Platoon exercises as laid down for “the short Rifle” to be applicable to the old Pattern Rifle and smooth bore Fuzil with modifications as under.

i Whenever the words occur for “lower band” substitute “the band bolt.”

ii For “middle band” the “middle bolt.”

iii For the “upper band” the “front bolt.”

3. All the motions for adjusting the sight at the word “Ready” and “shutting down the flap” after firing as well as naming the distance “at—yards” to be omitted for the smooth bore Percussion Musket, such is to be retained with the old pattern Rifles.

4. With reference to the “method of piling arms” page 34, it is to be understood that on the line of march and in

G. O. C. C. 10th March 1852, No. 21.

the Field, or in Garrison or Cantonment in very windy weather when locking arms together by the Ramrods would be unsafe, the arms may be locked together by the Bayonets.

5. The method of sizing a Company as laid down in para 3, page 104, General Regulations, is to be retained in preference to the system described at page 63 of the new Infantry Manual.

6. All Books in use with Corps using smooth bore Arms to be corrected as above.

ARRIVALS.

1858	Names	From	At
2d August	Lieut. H. Biden,	Bolarum	Madras.
11th "	" W. D. Forster,	Singapore	St. Thomas' Mount
16th "	" C. Elliot,	Raepore	Madras
22d "	Gent. Cadet Mr. C. E. Reid,	Europe	"

DEPARTURES.

1858	Names.	From	To
15th August	Lieut. H. Biden,	Madras	Europe.
"	2d Lieut. F. E. Hadow,		
23d "	Lieut. J. R. J. Robertson,	St. Thomas' Mount	Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	Names.	To.
3d August.—2d Lieut.	J. K. L. Mackenzie, (not arrived)	Date of Rank fixed, 11th June 1858.
"	J. W. Macdougall, (not arrived)	
"	H. Featherstonhaugh (not arrived)	
"	J. F. Pierson,	Date of Rank fixed, 12th June 1858.
"	W. Bryden,	
"	G. H. Trevor,	
"	St. J. C. Shawe,	
"	A. C. Davidson,	
"	The Hon'ble A. B. de Montmorency,	
"	W. H. Montgomerie,	
"	M. M. Bowie,	
"	W. Bisset,	
"	C. H. A. Gower,	
"	P. M. Rolland,	

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
3d August.	Lieut. A. W. O. Whinyates,	Date of Rank fixed 12th June 1858.
	W. Wyndham,	
	W. E. Lockhart,	
	G. B. Macdonell,	
	T. E. R. Ditmas (not arrived)	
	C. E. Reid (not arrived)	
	T. W. Roberts (not arrived)	
	C. C. Saxton, (not arrived)	

13th August Gent. Cadet Mr. C. Reid Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858.						
12th August	1st Lieut. J. R. J. Robertson	A.	1st	A.	3d	{ To join the Company forthwith in Bengal. Will on the arrival of 1st Lieut. Robertson, proceed to join the F. Troop H. A. with the Saugor Field Division.
	" S. H. E. Chamier					
	H. A. doing duty A. Compy. 3rd Battalion Artillery in Bengal.					
31st "	Captain (Brevet Major) G. M. Gumm.....	D.	4th	C.	3d	{ To join at Rangoon on arrival from England.
	Captain H. E. Hicks.....	C.	3rd	D.	4th	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
20th August	Lieut. H. Biden	Madras, for the purpose of obtaining a final medical certificate to Europe.
	Commanding 3d Company Artillery Hyderabad Contingent.	
14th August	Bt. Major G. S. Cotter	Presidency, from 9th June to 5th July 1858, preparatory to applying for Furlough to Europe on medical certificate.
18th "	Bt. Major G. S. Cotter	Calcutta, from 1st to 31st July 1858, preparatory to appearing before the Medical Board.
" "	1st Lieut. R. C. B. Highmoor	To remain at Hazareebaugh on medical certificate from 11th July to 10th August 1858.
31st "	1st Lieut. C. Elliot	On medical certificate for 4 months from the 23rd July 1858.
	Deputy Commissioner of Nagpore.	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
13th August	1st Lieut. H. Biden	On medical certificate for 15 months under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
„ „	2d Lieut F. E. Hadow	On Medical certificate for 18 months under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
17th „	1st Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell.	On medical certificate for 18 months under the old Regulations.
27th „	Bt. Major G. S. Cotter	On medical certificate for 18 months under the old Regulations.
31st „	1st Lieut. G. G. Pearse } Commanding 3rd Sikh Cavalry.	On medical certificate for 15 months under the new Regulations.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1858.

21st August 1st Lieutenant A. G. Thomson Bangalore—Qualified for the General Staff under para 11, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853. No. 46.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

13th August 1858.

24th June 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Troops in the Straits appointing Lieutenant F. L. Playfair of the Artillery, to act as Aide-de-Camp and Private Secretary to the Honorable the Governor of the Straits Settlements.

REPORTS TO BE MADE OF MEN RECOMMENDED FOR PROMOTION TO THE ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT, WHO MAY BECOME CASUALTIES &c.

G. O. C. C. No. 90, 1st September 1858.—Officers Commanding Corps and Departments who are required to forward recommendation Rolls of Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers for promotion to the Ordnance Department, are directed to report to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines whenever the men so recommended are no longer desirous of obtaining employment in that Department, or have disqualified themselves for promotion, or have become casualties by death or otherwise.

PRACTICE OF POSTING SENTINELS &c. AS LAID DOWN IN THE GENERAL REGULATIONS TO BE CONTINUED TO BE OBSERVED.

G. O. C. C. No. 92, 4th September 1858.—With adherence to *G. O. C. C. No. 89, 20th August 1858*, the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that the practice of posting Sentinels &c., as laid down in Section XII “Duties in Garrison” of the General Regulations is to be continued to be observed in the Madras Army, though it may differ from the system laid down in the New Infantry Manual.

ASSIMILATION OF THE RANKS OF THE COMPANY’S ENGINEERS AND ARTILLERY, WITH OFFICERS OF THE ROYAL ENGINEERS AND ARTILLERY.

G. O. G. No. 355, 14th September 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON’BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 27th August 1858.

No. 1238 of 1858.—The Hon’ble the President of the Council of India in Council is pleased to direct the publication in General Orders of the following Military letter from the Hon’ble the Court of Directors to the Government of India, No. 183, of the 8th July 1858 :—

Military Department.

No. 183 of 1858.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

1. We have given full and anxious consideration to the important subject of the relative rank held by Officers of the Royal Engineers and Royal Artillery as compared with that of Officers of the Company’s Engineers and Artillery as brought to our notice in numerous Memorials, and in the letter from the Governor General, dated 1st April 1858.

2. There are three points of difference in the two Services which affect relative rank, viz.—

1st.—In the Royal Service Captains rise to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel Regimentally, whilst in the Company's Service there is the intermediate grade of Major.

2d.—In the Royal Service there are two grades of Captains, whilst in the Company's Service there is only one grade.

3d.—In the Royal Service there is only one grade of Subaltern, whilst in the Company's Service there are two grades, viz., 1st Lieutenant and 2d Lieutenant.

3. On the first point we have resolved that the distinction between the two Services shall be forthwith corrected: and that accordingly the Regimental Majors in the Company's Engineers and Artillery shall, on the receipt of this Despatch, be promoted to the Regimental rank of Lieutenant-Colonel with dates of rank from the dates of their Regimental Majorities: and that the Commissions of the present Lieutenant-Colonels be ante-dated, in like manner, to the dates of their Regimental Majorities; but without any retrospect as to pay and allowances; and that as vacancies occur, Captains of Artillery and Engineers shall succeed to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in their respective Corps.

4. On the next point of difference we have resolved that the grade of 2d Captain shall be introduced into the Company's Engineers and Artillery, and that the future Establishment shall be in the proportion of

6 Captains and

6 2d Captains

to each Brigade and Battalion.

5. The aggregate of Officers of these grades will then be as follows:—

		<i>Captains.</i>	<i>2d Captains.</i>			<i>Captains.</i>	<i>2d Captains.</i>
Bengal Artillery...	72	72		Bengal Engineers...	30	30	
Madras "	... 42	42		Madras "	... 18	18	
Bombay "	... 30	30		Bombay "	... 18	18	
		288				132	

Supernumeraries as Captains are to be absorbed as vacancies occur.

6. On the 3d point, viz., the grades of Subaltern, we have resolved that the grade of 2d Lieutenant shall be abolished, so that Subalterns of Engineers and Artillery of the Queen's and Company's Services shall take rank together, according to the dates of their 1st Commissions. You will therefore issue to the present Lieutenants, and 2d Lieutenants Commissions as Lieutenants with date of rank from their first Commissions, but without retrospect as to Allowances, and hereafter, all appointed to these Corps are to be Commissioned as Lieutenants.

7. The number of Lieutenants for each Brigade and Battalion of Artillery to be 14; and for each Battalion of Engineers 12; or in the aggregate, for

Bengal Artillery.....	168	Bengal Engineers.....	60
Madras „	98	Madras „	36
Bombay „	70	Bombay „	36

being about equal to the present Establishments, after deducting therefrom the number of Lieutenants promoted to be 2d Captains.

TABLE OF PAY FOR THE HONORABLE COMPANY'S EUROPEAN ARTILLERY.

G. O. G. No. 361, 17th September 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William 31st August 1858.

No. 1251 of 1858.—The Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council is pleased to publish in General Orders, the following Tables of pay for the Royal Artillery and Engineers, and for the Hon'ble Company's European Artillery and Engineers.

Table of Revised Monthly Pay of the Hon'ble Company's European Artillery.

				Pay Exclusive of Dry Rations.					
				Horse Artillery.			Foot Artillery.		
				In Garrison or Cantonment within 200 Miles from the Presidency.	In the Field or when stationed beyond 200 Miles from the Presidency.		In Garrison or Cantonment within 200 Miles from the Presidency.	In the Field or when stationed beyond 200 Miles from the Presidency.	
Serjeant Major Regimental	...	...	...	59 15 1	61 3 0		57 7 4	58 11 3	
Quarter Master Serjeant Regimental	...	...	...	52 7 10	53 11 8		50 0 1	51 3 11	
Hospital Serjeant	...	...	...	A 53 6 8	54 10 7		50 14 11	52 2 10	
School Master Serjeant (untrained)	...	...	...	A 0 0 0	0 0 0		50 14 11	52 2 10	
Orderly Room Clerk	...	...	...	38 8 2	39 12 1		36 0 5	37 4 4	
Rough Rider Serjeant	...	...	...	A 53 6 8	54 10 7		0 0 0	0 0 0	
Farrier Major	...	...	...	A 53 6 8	54 10 7		0 0 0	0 0 0	
Drill Serjeant	...	...	...	B 45 15 5	47 3 4		43 7 8	44 11 7	
Trumpet or Bugle Major	...	...	...	B 38 8 2	39 12 1		36 0 5	37 4 4	
Staff Serjt.	In Troop or Company	...	...	A 52 7 16	53 11 8		C 50 0 1	51 3 11	
	In a Horse	If served by Europeans...	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		B 43 7 8	44 11 7	
	Light Field Battery.	If irregular as in the Punjaub Irregular Force.	...	0 0 0	0 0 0		A 50 14 11	52 2 10	
Serjeant	...	...	...	38 8 2	40 12 1		36 0 5	37 4 4	
Corporal	...	...	...	28 9 2	29 13 1		26 1 5	27 5 4	
Bombardier	...	...	...	26 1 5	27 5 4		23 9 8	24 13 7	
Trumpeter	...	...	...	25 2 6	26 6 5		0 0 0	0 0 0	
2d Trumpeter and Bugler	...	...	...	15 3 5	16 7 4		12 11 8	13 15 7	
Gunner	...	...	...	15 3 5	16 7 4		12 11 8	13 15 7	
				Staff Pay.					
Farrier, besides Pay as Non-Commissioned Officer or Gunner	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7 3		
Rough Rider ditto ditto ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 7 3		
Saddler ditto ditto ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0 0		
Maximum Staff of a Division of Artillery.									
Serjeant Major (in addition to the Pay of Serjeant)	Extra Pay 6d. a day	...	...	...	...	...	7 7 3		
Quarter Master Serjeant	ditto	ditto	...	...	...	...	7 7 3		
Drill Serjeant	ditto	ditto	...	...	...	...	7 7 3		
Hospital Serjeant	ditto	ditto	...	...	...	...	14 14 6		

A Includes Staff Pay, at 1s a day or Co.'s Rs. 14-14-6 per month.

B Includes Staff Pay, at 6d. a day or Co.'s Rs. 7-7-3 per month.

C Includes Staff Pay, at 1s. a day, which will be continued so long as that rate, instead of 6d. a day, may be issued to a Company Serjeant in a Battery of Royal Artillery.

YOUNG OFFICERS TO DO DUTY WITH A EUROPEAN REGIMENT FOR SIX MONTHS BEFORE JOINING A NATIVE CORPS.

G. O. G. No. 366, 21st September 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 3d September 1858.

No. 1263 of 1858.—The Hon'ble the President in Council, with the concurrence of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India, is pleased to direct, that all young Officers shall hereafter be required to do duty with a European Regiment for a period of six months before they are permitted to join a native Corps.

The Command of a Native Regiment shall not hereafter be permitted to be exercised by any Officer who is not considered qualified for such Command by temper and tact, and by regard for the Natives, as well as by experience in the Service. The principle of selection for all Regimental Commands, whether European or Native, shall be strictly applied in future.

This order is to be considered applicable to the three Presidencies.

THE CLOTHING DEPARTMENT EXONERATED FROM ALL RESPONSIBILITY IN CASES WHERE INDENTS AND MEASUREMENT ROLLS ARE NOT RECEIVED BY THE 31ST JULY.

G. O. C. C. No. 93, 15th September 1858.—With reference to G. O. C. C. of the 13th Ultimo, No. 88, the Commander in Chief under instructions from Government, directs it to be notified that in cases where Indents and Measurement Rolls are not received by the Clothing Department by the 31st July of each year, the Clothing Department will be exonerated from all responsibility in regard to misfits or excess or deficiency of number supplied. It will fall on the parties neglecting to forward the Indents and Rolls by the time specified.

REGULATION REGARDING CONVALESCENT DEPOTS DOES NOT REFER TO SANITARIUMS.

G. O. C. C. No. 94, 15th September 1858.—With reference to G. O. C. C. 2d August 1858, No. 87, publishing

Regulations regarding Convalescent Depôts, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that the above order does not refer to Sanitariums strictly so called as Ootacamund, Coonoor, &c., but to Convalescent Depôts only, as Jackatalla, Ramandroog, &c.,

NATIVE SOLDIERS LETTERS SENT BEYOND THE MADRAS PRESIDENCY SHOULD BE DIRECTED IN ENGLISH.

G. O. C. C. No. 95, 21st September 1858.—It having come under the notice of the Commander in Chief that many letters for Native Soldiers of the Madras Army, serving in Bengal do not reach their destination, in consequence of being addressed in a vernacular character, which cannot be deciphered by the Officials of the Post Office beyond the Madras Presidency, His Excellency desires that it may be carefully explained to all Native Soldiers, and holders of Family Certificates, that letters sent beyond the precincts of the Madras Presidency, should be directed very clearly and legibly in English.

All Commanding and Staff Officers are directed to instruct parties concerned, to bring their letters to Regimental or local Staff, in order to the address being written in English.

A. O. No. 14, 1st September 1858.—1 As there appear reasonable grounds for attributing the recent explosion in a Store room at Secunderabad to want of caution, especially in respect to extinguishing the fire in a cotton match, which had been lighted for use at exercise with powder, before re-lodging it in Store, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery

Para 10, Section IV, page 21, Instructions and Regulations for Field Battery Exercise.

“ responsible that no portfire which has once been lighted, or has failed to ignite, be returned into the limber box.”

directs that the important duties

of extinguishing matches, and of securing portfires and unexpended cartridges on return from exercise, be discharged, whenever practicable, by an European.

2. It is not sufficient that unexpended cartridges and spare ammunition be lodged in Store rooms that are not

places of general resort ; such further arrangements are also to be made, inside the Storerooms, as will secure the ammunition not only from accidental ignition, but against its being inadvertently disturbed, even by those who may be authorized to have access to it.

3. It is further directed that the Magazines and Store rooms of the Horse Brigade and Battalions of Artillery, as well as those of all Troops and European Companies, be never opened but in the presence of an European.

II. In conformity with instructions from the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, Officers Commanding Troops, Companies, and detachments of Artillery, will take immediate measures for the return into store of all carriages of Cullen's pattern, by submitting Indents for their exchange for carriages of the established pattern, or of a pattern more recent than that of Cullen's, whichever may be available in the local Arsenal.

ARRIVALS.

1858	Names	From	At
August 15th	Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell,	Calcutta	Madras.
Sept. 7th	Gent. Cadet D. V. Shortland,	Europe	Madras.
" 24th	" J. W. Macdougall,	Europe	"
"	" W. R. C. Brough,		
"	" W. Freeth,		
"	" The Hon'ble H. S. O'Grady,		
"	" A. K. Seacome,		
"	" J. H. Gleig,		
"	" R. Thompson,		

DEPARTURES.

1858	Names.	From	To
Sept. 15th	Capt. H. G. Bishop,	Madras	Europe.
18th	" E. W. Dance	"	"
21st	Lieut. H. G. Pritchard,	St. Thomas' Mount	Bangalore.
"	" H. F. Pritchard,		
"	" A. M. Rawlins,		
22d	" C. E. Pritchard,		
"	" E. T. Ouchterlony,		
"	" H. L. Armstrong,		

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.

Names.

To.

10th Sept. Gent. Cadet Mr. D. V. Shortland—Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of 2d Lieutenant.

17th „ Major G. S. Cotter—Promoted to Lieut. Colonel by Brevet, dated 20th July 1858.

21st „ Brevet Lt. Col. G. Balfour C. B.—Promoted to Colonel by Brevet, dated 25th April 1858.

Rank.	Names.	Alteration of rank.	Promotions.	
		To take rank from.	To what rank promoted.	Dates of commissions.
Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.)	A. Shirreff	23rd Novr. 1841	...	...
do.	P. Hamond	31st Decr. 1842	...	...
do.	E. Amsinck	3rd July 1845	...	...
do.	J. W. Croggan	30th April 1849	...	...
Lieut. Colonel	W. H. Miller	15th May 1851	...	...
do.	T. K. Whistler	2nd July 1851	...	...
Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.)	P. Anstruther C. B. ...	12th August 1853	...	...
Major (Bt. Col.)	R. C. Moore C. B. ...	...	Lt. Col.	28th Novr. 1854
Major.	F. Burgoyne ... ..	...	do.	11th Feb. 1855
do.	G. W. Y. Simpson ... ..	...	do.	14th Aug. 1855
do.	T. Lavie ... ..	...	do.	10th April 1856
do.	G. Briggs ... ..	...	do.	7th June 1856
do.	J. Maitland ... ..	...	do.	4th Novr. 1857
Major (Bt. Col.)	G. Balfour C. B. ...	...	do.	31st Decr. 1857
Lieut. (Bt. Capt.)	C. M. J. Thornton ...	11th Decr. 1841	2d Capt.	27th Aug. 1858
do.	W. F. B. Laurie	8th Jany. 1842	do.	do.
do.	A. C. Jones	11th June 1842	do.	do.
do.	J. De C. Sinclair	do.	do.	do.
do.	G. Carleton	do.	do.	do.
do.	R. Cadell	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. W. F. Taylor	11th Decr. 1841	do.	do.
do.	E. W. Dance	11th June 1842	do.	do.
do.	H. G. Bishop	9th Decr. 1842	do.	do.
do.	C. Desborough	9th June 1843	do.	do.
Lieutenant.	R. Morton	8th Decr. 1843	do.	do.
do.	N. G. Campbell	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. R. J. Robertson ...	13th June 1845	do.	do.
do.	R. F. G. Henegan	do.	do.	do.
do.	P. D. Horne	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. R. Magrath	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. Mc. K. Macintyre ...	do.	do.	do.
do.	G. G. J. Campbell	do.	do.	do.
do.	W. J. Bradford	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. Blair	14th June 1845	do.	do.
do.	G. C. Robinson	do.	do.	do.
do.	F. Cebbe	do.	do.	do.
do.	C. Elliot	do.	do.	do.
do.	G. G. Pearse	do.	do.	do.
do.	G. Dangerfield	12th Decr. 1845	do.	do.
do.	A. H. Dawson	do.	do.	do.
do.	H. W. Lumsden	do.	do.	do.
do.	R. C. B. Highmoor ...	13th Decr. 1845	do.	do.
do.	M. C. Lawson	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. F. A. McNair	do.	do.	do.
do.	L. Bridge	do.	do.	do.
do.	J. S. Baird	do.	do.	do.
do.	C. Cameron	do.	do.	do.
do.	H. Biden	12th June 1846	do.	do.
do.	L. F. C. Thomas	do.	do.	do.
do.	R. L. Playfair	do.	do.	do.
do.	E. M. Playfair	11th Decr. 1846	do.	do.
do.	S. R. Smith	do.	do.	do.

Rank.	Names.	Alteration of rank.		Promotions.	
		To take rank from.	To what rank promoted.	Date of commissions.	
Lieutenant.	G. B. Prior	11th June 1847	2d Captain	27th Aug. 1858	
do.	C. Raikes... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	J. B. Swete... ..	10th Decr. 1847	do.	do.	
do.	C. L. Yeoman... ..	9th June 1848	do.	do.	
do.	R. A. Peach... ..	8th Decr. 1848	do.	do.	
do.	H. D. Gloag	do.	do.	do.	
do.	R. C. Henchy	8th June 1849	do.	do.	
do.	A. J. Ogilvie... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	P. St. G. Græme... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	G. C. M. Martin	do.	do.	do.	
do.	E. S. Milman	11th Decr. 1849	do.	do.	
do.	W. D. Forster... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	G. F. Blair	14th June 1850	do.	do.	
do.	H. G. Thomson	do.	do.	do.	
do.	J. Stewart	do.	do.	do.	
do.	M. B. S. Lloyd... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	F. L. Playfair	do.	do.	do.	
do.	W. D'O. Kerrich	9th Decr. 1850	do.	do.	
do.	A. R. Gloag... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	R. A. Baker	do.	do.	do.	
do.	E. W. Childers	13th June 1851	do.	do.	
do.	R. Pope	do.	do.	do.	
do.	C. Johnson	do.	do.	do.	
do.	T. I. M. Hog	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. L. Dempster... ..	12th Decr. 1851	do.	do.	
do.	G. Haggard	do.	do.	do.	
do.	J. W. Watkins	do.	do.	do.	
do.	D. D. Anderson	do.	do.	do.	
do.	F. C. Trevor... ..	12th June 1852	do.	do.	
do.	D. J. McGrigor	do.	do.	do.	
do.	B. L. Gordon	do.	do.	do.	
do.	W. R. D. Sewell	9th Decr. 1852	do.	do.	
do.	J. G. Marseall	do.	do.	do.	
do.	G. A. Goldingham... ..	11th June 1853	do.	do.	
do.	C. J. McMahon	do.	do.	do.	
do.	C. E. Watson... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	S. H. E. Chamier	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. McLeod	do.	do.	do.	
do.	J. C. Taylor... ..	9th Decr. 1853	do.	do.	
2d Lieutenant	W. F. Grey	do.	Lieutenant	9th Decr. 1853	
do.	J. McNeil	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. M. Finlay	do.	do.	do.	
do.	J. Hoyes	do.	do.	8th June 1854	
do.	F. E. Hadow	do.	do.	do.	
do.	W. H. McCausland	do.	do.	do.	
do.	F. H. Thompson	do.	do.	do.	
do.	F. S. Budd	do.	do.	8th June 1855	
do.	H. P. T. MacCarthy	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. P. Lane	do.	do.	do.	
do.	W. H. Caine	do.	do.	do.	
do.	W. Manderson	do.	do.	7th Decr. 1855	
do.	C. R. Buckle	do.	do.	do.	
do.	M. L. Monckton... ..	do.	do.	13th June 1856	
do.	J. Ford	do.	do.	do.	
do.	A. Wynch	do.	do.	12th Decr. 1856	
do.	W. J. Cottam... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	I. Ketchen	do.	do.	12th June 1857	
do.	A. P. Bainbridge	do.	do.	do.	
do.	S. Penny	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. J. Thornton	do.	do.	do.	
do.	M. H. C. B. Steinman	do.	do.	do.	
do.	E. T. Ouchterlony... ..	do.	do.	11th Decr. 1857	
do.	R. T. Hamond	do.	do.	12th do.	
do.	C. E. Pritchard	do.	do.	do.	
do.	W. M. D. Wright	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. L. Armstrong	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. W. Hastings... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. G. Pritchard	do.	do.	do.	
do.	A. M. Rawlins	do.	do.	do.	
do.	A. H. Roberts... ..	do.	do.	do.	
do.	H. F. Pritchard	do.	do.	do.	

Rank.	Names.	Alteration of rank.	Promotions.	
		To take rank from.	To what rank promoted.	Date of commissions.
2d Lieutenant	B. Yaldwyn ... ..	...	Lieutenant	12th Decr. 1857
do.	K. J. L. MacKenzie ... ..	...	do.	11th June 1858
do.	J. W. Macdougall ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	H. Featherstonhaugh ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	J. F. Pierson ... ..	...	do.	12th do.
do.	W. Bryden ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	G. H. Trevor ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	St. J. C. Shawe ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	A. C. Davidson ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	<i>The Honorable A. B. de Montmorency</i> ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	W. H. Montgomerie ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	M. M. Bowie ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	W. Bisset ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	C. H. A. Gower ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	P. M. Rolland ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	A. W. O. Whinyates ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	W. Wyndham ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	W. E. Lockhart ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	G. B. Macdonell ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	T. E. R. Ditmas ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	C. E. Reid ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	T. W. Roberts ... ..	...	do.	do.
do.	C. C. Saxton ... ..	...	do.	do.

1858.

Names.

To.

28th Septr. Gent. Cadet Mr. J. W. Macdougall,

" Mr. W. R. C. Brough,

" Mr. W. Freeth,

" The Hon'ble H. S. O'Grady,

" Mr. A. K. Seacome,

" Mr. J. H. Gleig,

" Mr. R. Thompson,

Admitted upon
the Establish-
ment and promo-
ted to the Rank
of Lieutenant.

29th Septr. Lieut. J. W. Watkins—Appointed Quarter Master and Interpreter of the 5th Battalion Artillery.

" J. Blair, } Appointed to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Artillery in the Straits, vice Watkins.

Lieut. J. W. Watkins, } Will act as Interpreter to the Detachment of Royal Artillery at the Mount, without prejudice to his Regimental duties.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.

Names.

Where and Remarks.

1st Septr. Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell,—Calcutta on Medical certificate to appear before the Medical Board, from 18th July to 31st August 1858.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
1st Sept.	Major G. S. Cotter,	From 9th July to date of embarkation, in extension of leave granted in G. O. C. C. in India 21st July 1858.
	Brigr. W. H. Miller,	} Calcutta preparatory to appearing before the standing medical Committee, from date of availing himself of it to 18th July 1858.
	Comg. Arty. Saugor Field Divn.	
	do.	Madras and Neilgherries on medical certificate from 18th July 1858 to 1st January 1859.
15th Sept.	Lieut. R. C. B. Highmoor,	Hazarabagh on medical certificate, in extension from 10th August to 10th September 1858.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
11th Sept.	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) H. G. Bishop,	On medical certificate under the old Regulations, and to embark from Madras,
13th „	„ E. W. Dance,	On medical certificate, for 18 months under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
14th „	Captain G. B. B. Holmes,	On urgent private affairs for six months.
28th „	„ R. Macpherson,	On medical Certificate for twelve months.

TICKETS FOR CLOTHING TO BE SUBSTITUTED FOR MEASUREMENT ROLLS.

G. O. G. No. 379, 1st October 1858.—In substitution of the Measurement “Rolls” prescribed by *G. O. G. No. 182* of 19th June 1857, and with the view of economizing time and labor Regimentally, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the introduction of *Tickets*.

2. These *Tickets* (printed) will be supplied free of expense from the Clothing department and should be duly filled up and returned to it.

3. Officers Commanding Regiments or detachments will, in communication with the Superintendent and Agent of the Army Clothing department, obtain the Nos. of *Tickets* they may require; a ticket being designed for each man for whom Clothing is to be supplied.

ALLOTMENT OF STORES FOR MUSKETRY PRACTICE OF EUROPEAN CORPS.

G. O. G. No. 392, 12th October 1858.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the articles specified below shall be supplied to all European Corps, as soon as the Ordnance Department is in a position to make the issues, to be accounted for in Regimental Returns, in common with other Military Stores in use with the Corps, and to be exchanged and disposed of in the same manner as other Stores.

	Per Regt.
Targets Iron of uniform dimensions, 6 feet by 2	12
Beds for Targets Limber 1 foot square... ..	2
Flags, Red 6 feet Square	3
do. 2½ do.	6
do. and white 2½ square... ..	6
do. dark blue 2½ do.	6
do. white 2½ do.	6
Poles, Lance 10 feet long shod with Iron spike... ..	25
do. 14 do. do.	2
Gunter's chain... ..	1
900 yards of cord labelled every 5 yards and numbered from 1 to 900 divided into 18 equal parts, each part of 50 yards ...	1
Pegs of stout wire or Iron, each 15 inches long	18
Tripod Rests with rings... ..	12
Sand bags (bushel)	12
Large brushes for colouring Targets	2
Small do. do.	2
Whiting	200 lbs.
Lamp Black... ..	50
Glue or Gum	30
Strong low truck on 2 broad wheels... ..	1
Buckets to contain paint... ..	4
Large Tub to contain water for do	1
Shovels for the repair of Butts	2

Per Regt.

Wooden Box, 3 feet long, 2 feet wide and 2 feet deep, for the reception and transport of Blank Forms and other documents connected with Musketry instruction 2

A supply of Gabions or sand bags for building markers Butts 40 feet long, 8 feet high and 6 feet thick, when the ground does not admit of excavation

A screen formed by 5 Targets being united as shewn in sketch.

Lock up shed at or near Practice ground to secure paint, brushes, &c 1

Oil Tin, per man 1

2. Sealed patterns of the articles will be lodged in the larger Arsenals—and any alterations in pattern, or additions to be made under authority, will be communicated to all Ordnance Officers by the Inspector General of Ordnance:

3. With a view to facilitate the due carrying on of the practice, Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces are authorized to sanction, when necessary, emergent Indents for 1,000 rounds of ammunition *annually*, in addition to the regular annual allotment of 90 rounds per man—they are also directed to select Practice grounds (where necessary, in communication with the Quarter Master General and Civil authorities) of sufficient extent and suitable for the ranges.

4. Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces are also authorized to provide for the erection of the necessary Butts in convenient spots and for the hire of cattle and supply of carts for the conveyance of Targets and Stores, to and from the Practice grounds, and will communicate fully with the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, who will definitely arrange the details according to circumstances.

5. Officers commanding Corps will be in communication with Officers Commanding Divisions, Forces or Stations for providing suitable places of Instruction by means of Lectures and Lessons, and with the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines for obtaining suitable furniture for the Lecture rooms. The following allotment of Miscellaneous Arti-

cles is sanctioned for each Lecture room, and Indents of Commanding Officers will be passed accordingly.

Black Board 6 feet by 4 feet and easels	1
Cup with cross wires to fit muzzle of Rifle Musket, pattern 1853	1
Wooden plug with hole through the centre to fit into breech-end of Rifle Musket, pattern 1853	1
Wooden model with suspended wires to illustrate the necessity of holding the sight upright when taking Aim	1
Tin model of Gun as in Figure Plate 1 of Book of Instruction	1
Common flat Ruler 3 feet long	1
Rifle Musket Barrel, pattern 1853	1
Waster locks with cocks complete, swivel pattern	6
Improved turnkey with cramp worm &c. attached... ..	6
Implements for making Cartridges set... ..	1

Set to consist of

5 Tin measures containing each 2½ Drams.	
5 Tin funnels with long narrow spouts.	
12 Mandrels of hard wood for Cartridges for Rifle Musket, pattern 1853.	
12 Firmers do. do. do.	
1 Set of Tin patterns, shewing shape of paper for Cartridges.	
1 Iron straight edge, 1 large Knife.	
20 Quires of white paper for inner and outer envelope of Cartridge	} Required annually.
6 Quires of Cartridge paper for Cylinder of Cartridge	
½ Bushel of fine sand	
50 Bullets for Rifle musket 1853.	
12 Files to retain documents, (common.)	
Sponge	2 Oz.
Chalk, common	1 lb.
Circular ruling pens to describe Circles, Diagrams	2
Compasses with holder to contain Chalk... ..	1
Stout whip cord for chalk line	6 yards.
Twine	2 lbs.
Book of Instruction of Musketry... ..	10
Printed forms required monthly. Preliminary Index Returns, No. 931, per Company A. in Book of Instruction... ..	3
Registers of Target practice, No. 929 per Company B. in Book of Instruction	90
Registers of Judging distance practice, No. 930 per Company C. in Book of Instruction... ..	90

Registers of the practice Coliagrams, No. 921 per Company	25
do do „ 922 do	20
do do „ 923 do	20
do do „ 924 do	20
do do „ 925 do	20
do do „ 926 do	10
do do „ 927 do	10
do do „ 928 do	35
Target practice Returns, No. 932 per Company F. in Book	
of Instruction	3
Judging in distance practice Returns, No. 933 G in Book	
of Instruction	3
Monthly Progress Returns, No. 1001...}	50
Annual Target Practice, „ 1003...}	12
Annual judging distance Practice, No. }	At each Station.
1004 H. I. and K. in Book of Instruction. }	12
Annual Return of men eligible for prizes	12
Allowance for Stationery, for Instructor of Musketry ...	
Stationery for the use of the Markers	

6. The Inspector General of Ordnance will issue all subsidiary orders and make all minor arrangements.

7. A certain proportion (to be determined by Regimental Commanding Officers) of the Cartridges issued for practice will be ungreased, and each man will be supplied with a small tin to contain common Lamp Oil and taught to oil his own Cartridge by dipping it into the oil.

8. The requisite Blank Forms ordered to be used in Corps using Rifled Arms will be supplied on application to the Adjutant General of the Army.

SCHOOL MASTERS TRAINED AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL TO BE STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH OF THEIR REGIMENTS AS SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 400, 15th October 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 5th October 1858.

No. 1384 of 1858.—With reference to Government General Orders, Nos. 308 and 309, of the 7th March 1855,* the Hon'ble the President of the Council in India in Council is pleased to direct, that Soldiers who have been trained at the Normal School, and who have obtained Certificates of proficiency as School Masters shall be struck off the strength of their Regiments as Soldiers, and be borne on the Town Major's List in the Grade of 1st, 2nd and 3rd class School Masters, or 4th Class, or Assistant School Masters as the case may be.

BARRACK FIXTURES TO BE CONSIDERED PART OF THE
BUILDING.

G. O. G. No. 414, 29th October 1858.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that all Barrack *fixtures* of every description shall be considered part of the Buildings, and be furnished by the Department of Public Works, leaving only such moveable appurtenances or drill apparatus, as can be returned into Store on Buildings being vacated, to be supplied by the Barrack Department as at present,

EXTENSION OF THE GRANT OF COMPENSATION FOR LOSS
OF CHARGERS TO CERTAIN OFFICERS WHEN PERFORM-
ING MOUNTED DUTIES ON FIELD SERVICE.

G. O. G. No. 416, 29th October 1858.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
COUNCIL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 8th October 1858.

No. 1398 of 1858.—The Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council is pleased to extend to the fol-

* Madras G. O. G. 23d March 1855, No. 82.

lowing Officers, *when performing mounted duties on Field Service*, the existing Rule granting compensation for loss of Chargers, *viz*:—

To all Foot Artillery Officers attached to Heavy or Light Guns, drawn by Bullocks or Elephants.

To Infantry Officers below the Rank of Field Officer, when performing the duties of that Grade, in room of absent Field Officers.

To Officers acting as Orderly Officers to Officers Commanding Divisions and Brigades.

It is to be understood that Horse Allowance is not authorized by these Rules, but Compensation only for the loss of Horses.

Officers Commanding Divisions and Brigades in the Field will each be allowed to employ two Orderly Officers in excess of the authorized Staff. These Orderly Officers may be either Regimental Officers or Staff Officers who are not ordinarily required to be mounted, not being in receipt of Horse Allowance. The nomination of Orderly Officers and of Regimental Officers to perform mounted duties in the absence of Field Officers is to be notified in Regimental, Brigade or Division Orders, as the case may be.

A. O. No. 15, 2d October 1858.—I There being reason to believe that doubts exist regarding the date on which the annual Indents for Clothing should be transmitted by Officers Commanding Corps, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, under instructions from Army Head Quarters, directs it to be notified that the Indents referred to in para 57 of the Army Clothing Regulations, should always be despatched to the Superintendent and Agent one year in advance,—*i. e.* Indents for Clothing that will become due on the 1st January 1860 should be sent in on the 1st January 1859,—so as to admit of the despatch of the Clothing by the Agent in time for issue to the men on or about the 1st January of the year

for which it is intended, with reference to paras 65, 68, and 74 of the Regulations.

2. Para 58 provides for supplementary Indents being forwarded for Clothing for Recruits who may join after the despatch of the Annual Indents and before the following 1st January.

3. Such Corps as have not already sent in Indents for Clothing which will be due on the 1st January 1859, will do

MEMORANDUM.

The object of the Madras Artillery Records being, to circulate information as well as to promote discussion on professional subjects, such as, Improvements in Ordnance, Carriages, Equipments &c. as also the publication of all Practice and Experiments, in addition to the Records of the Regiment of Artillery :—it is requested that Subscribers and others will be good enough to favor the Director Artillery Depôt with any contributions likely to be interesting, as also suggestions or improvements they may wish to offer, either on professional, or other useful matters.

“ by G. O. G. No. 182 of 19th June 1857, and with the
“ view of economizing time and labor Regimentally, the
“ Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the introduction of *Tickets*.”

“ 2. These *Tickets* (printed) will be supplied, free of expense, from the Clothing Department, and should be duly
“ filled up and returned to it.”

“ 3. Officers Commanding Regiments or detachments will,
“ in communication with the Superintendent and Agent of
“ the Army Clothing Department, obtain the Nos. of *Tick-*

“ *ets* they may require; a Ticket being designed for each man for whom Clothing is to be supplied.”

A. O. No. 16, 4th October 1858.—I. The following extract from Minutes of Consultation No. 1766 dated 17th July 1856, containing the decision of the Government of India on the subject of Good Conduct Pay to men who may be remanded to Regimental duty from detached employ, is published for general information and guidance.

“ The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council considers that a Soldier of 15 years on Staff employ should, on reverting to Regimental duty, be in exactly the same position as though he had been doing Regimental duty during the whole period of his service. A soldier as above, removed at his own request and not for misconduct, should receive three pence a day with three distinguishing marks; but if remanded for misconduct, he should forfeit one penny a day for a twelve month, and would be entitled for that time to only two pence a day Good Conduct Pay, and two distinguishing marks.”

A. O. 26th October 1858.—I. There being reason to believe that too many facilities are afforded men of the Madras Artillery for getting married, and that, in some instances, the characters of the women have not been sufficiently enquired into, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has to request that Commanding Officers will, in future, be very particular in satisfying themselves of the respectability of the women for whose marriage, to the men under their respective commands, sanction may be sought.

A. O. 30th October 1858.—II. Envelopes continuing to be received at Artillery Head Quarters closed in a manner which renders them difficult to be opened, and the enclosures liable to be torn, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the particular attention of all Officers to the orders

* No. 814	dated 10th September 1844.
No. 11	„ 19th April 1854.
No. 11	„ 15th February 1855.

noted in the margin*, directing that envelopes be closed

with wafers; or, when they are not procurable, that a small portion only of the end of the envelope be closed with gum.

ARRIVALS.

1858	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
12th Octr.	Gent. Cadet Mr. K. J. L. Mackenzie,	Europe	Madras
14th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. G. Balmain,	„	„ via Calcutta
14th „	Capt. H. E. Hicks,	„	„
24th „	„ C. T. Collingwood,	„	„
24th „	Gent. Cadet Mr. H. Featherstonhaugh,	„	„
24th „	Lieut. S. H. E. Chamier,	Calcutta	„
30th „	2d Capt. H. W. Lumsden,	Europe	„ via Calcutta

DEPARTURES.

1858	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
24th Aug.	Capt. (Bt. Lt. Col.) G. S. Cotter,	Calcutta	Europe.
11th Octr.	Lieut. B. L. Gordon,	„	„
30th „	Lieut. S. H. E. Chamier,	Madras	Bolarum

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
5th Octr.	Lieut. R. C. Henchy,—To be Commandant of the 4th Company of Artillery, Hyderabad Contingent, vice Lieutenant G. G. J. Campbell.	
15th „	Gent. Cadet Mr K. J. L. Mackenzie,—Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.	
29th „	„ Mr. H. Featherstonhaugh,	Do. Do.
28th „	Captain C. T. Collingwood—Appointed a Member of the Presidency Military Hindoostanee Examining Committee.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858						
19th Octr.	Capt. W. C. F. Gosling.....	B.	4th	D.	4th	To join the Company with the Saugor Field Division on arrival from England.
„	„ H. E. Hicks.....	D.	4th	B.	4th	
21st „	Lieut. B. Yaldwyn.....	d.d.	1st	B.	4th	To join the Company now with the Saugor Field Divn. at once via Calcutta.
„	„ St. J. C. Shawe.....					
25th „	„ W. H. Montgomerie.....	do.	1st	A.	3d	To join in Bengal.
„	„ C. Johnson.....	.....	.....	H. B.	H. B.	
„	„ R. A. Baker.....	.....	.....	H. B.	H. B.	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
14th Octr.	Lieut. (Bt. Capt.) J. W. F. Taylor,—	Madras, S. C. from 15th September 1858 to 31st March 1859.
22d „	Lieut. R. C. B. Highmoor,—	Hazareebaugh, in extension from 10th September to 10th October 1858, on medical certificate.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
5th Octr.	Capt. G. B. B. Holmes,—	The leave granted by the Government of India, notified in G. O. G. 24th September 1858, No. 358, is under the Regulations of 1854.
19th „	Lieut. B. L. Gordon,—	On sick certificate for twelve months, under the new Regulations,

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

28th September 1858.

11th September 1858.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Artillery, appointing Lieutenant and Adjutant W. D. Forster, to act as Quarter Master of the Battalion, from this date until further orders, without prejudice to his appointment as Adjutant of the Battalion in room of Lieutenant (Capt.) H. G. Bishop, proceeding to Europe on medical certificate.

29th September 1858.

19th August 1858—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Lieutenant R. C. Henchy of the E. Troop Horse Artillery, without prejudice to his Regimental duties, to act as Interpreter to No. C. Company 9th Battalion Royals from the 19th August 1858 until further orders.

FEE TO BE PAID BY FOOT ARTILLERY OFFICERS TO RIDING MASTERS ON BEING DISCHARGED FROM THE RIDING SCHOOLS.

G. O. G. No. 420, 3rd November 1858.—With reference to G. O. G. 16th April 1841, No. 70, the Governor in Council directs that the fee to be paid by Foot Artillery

Officers to Riding Masters, on being discharged from the Riding School, be fixed at (15) fifteen Rupees.

YOUNG OFFICERS TO BE APPOINTED ON THEIR FIRST ARRIVAL IN INDIA, TO DO DUTY WITH EUROPEAN CORPS FOR A PERIOD OF 6 MONTHS.

G. O. C. C. No. 98, 11th November 1858.—In accordance with G. O. G. of the 21st September, No. 366 and under the authority of the Right Honorable the Commander in Chief in India, His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Patrick Grant directs that in future all young Officers of this Establishment be appointed on their first arrival in India, to do duty with European Corps indiscriminately for a period of six months.

2. The Commander in Chief earnestly requests Commanding Officers to receive the young Officers who may be thus appointed under the operation of this order, with the same consideration as if posted permanently to the Regiment; carefully instructing them in their various duties and affording them on all occasions such friendly advice and assistance as may be necessary; advantages of themselves of the highest importance in their effects upon a young Soldier's future career.

3. The Commander in Chief persuades himself that these young Officers will be unhesitatingly welcomed to the benefit of the Mess, Library, and all such Institutions of the Regiment to which they may be temporarily attached, as regular paying Members, but without their being called upon for entrance Donation or Contribution.

4. A portion of the six months assigned for instruction in Military Duties, may with benefit be employed in acquiring a knowledge of the Native Language; and Commanding Officers will therefore be so good as to adopt measures to encourage a regular course of study, in the spirit of the General Order by the Commander in Chief in India of the 23d October 1857, No. 51.

**AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF "GLASS TUBES REFLECTING"
FOR MUSKETRY INSTRUCTION.**

G. O. G. No. 436, 12th November 1858.—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 392*, dated 12th October 1858, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorize the addition of "Glass Tubes Reflecting" to the List of articles required for Musketry Instruction, and the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines will be prepared to issue 10 Tubes (5 of each size) to all European Regiments, on the submission of the usual Indents.

2. Commanding Officers are directed to send in reports to the Inspector General of Ordnance on the practical utility of the Reflecting Tubes, after a sufficient trial has been made of them.

**SERJEANTS EMPLOYED IN OFFICES AND ON STAFF DUTIES
NOT ENTITLED TO THE INCREASED PAY AT TWO PENCE
PER DIEM.**

G. O. C. C. No. 100 13th November 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that under a decision of the Government of India, Serjeants Employed in Offices and on Staff duties are not entitled to the increase of Pay at two pence per diem authorized in *G. O. G. 27th April 1858, No. 150.*

**RULES FOR DETERMINING THE QUALITY OF RICE, OR PRICE
AT WHICH COMPENSATION TO NATIVE TROOPS &c, IS TO
BE FIXED.**

G. O. G. No. 446, 16th November 1858.—In order to determine the quality of Rice, or the price at which compensation to Native Troops, &c., is to be fixed, the Commissary General will forward annually to Magistrates and Commanding Officers samples of the best description of the 3d sort of Rice sold in the Madras Market as a guide for granting Certificates of price. Should the same quality of rice not be sold in some Markets, a Committee of which the Commissariat Officer when practicable, is to be a Member, will assemble under orders of Officers Commanding, to ascertain and

determine the Rice in the Market of next best quality to the sample; and such Rice shall then be sent to the Magistrate for his guidance in granting the Certificate. The price of a Garce or 400 Marcals should be calculated on the Standard measure and not on those used in the Bazar.

ORDNANCE OFFICERS TO APPLY TO THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF ORDNANCE FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE ON FURLOUGH &c.

G. O. C. C. No. 101, 18th November 1858.—Leave of absence whether on furlough or medical certificate of Ordnance Officers in the Commissioned or Warrant Grades, is to be applied for to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, through the usual channel of communication, and that Officer will transmit the application to the Adjutant General, for the decision of His Excellency the Commander in Chief. The above cancels para. 17, part I of Section XVIII, General Regulations, Head Warrant Officers, &ca.

BOOKS OF REGULATION SUPPLIED TO CORPS &c, WHEN NO LONGER REQUIRED TO BE LODGED IN STORE FOR ISSUE TO SUBSEQUENT APPLICANTS.

G. O. C. C. No. 104, 19th November 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs that when Books of Regulation supplied to Corps, Departments, &c., are by change of circumstances, abolition of Office, or any other cause, no longer required, they shall be lodged in store and held available for issue to subsequent applicants, and a report made to the Adjutant General of the Army.

NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS REDUCED TO THE RANKS, TO FORFEIT GOOD CONDUCT PAY FOR ONE YEAR.

G. O. C. C. No. 105, 20th November 1858.—With reference to G. O. G. 5th September 1851, No. 170, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that a Non-Commissioned Officer reduced to the ranks by order of the Commander in Chief, or by sentence of Court Martial, equally becomes a defaulter and forfeits one penny a day Good Conduct Pay for one year.

ERRATUM.

In the Table of Field Pay of a Serjeant of Horse Artillery in the Indian Army, published in Government General Order, No. 1251* of 1858, *for* Rs. 40-12-1, *read* 39-12-1. Order Books to be corrected accordingly.

A. O. 10th November 1858.—With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 71 dated 26th June 1858, introducing Khakee clothing for the European Army as the white clothing becomes worn out, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to fix the 1st July 1859 as the date from which the wearing of white clothing is to be discontinued throughout the European portion of the Regiment.

II. Under the authority of Government, conveyed in Extract Minutes of Consultation No. 3820 dated 23rd October 1858, the situations of Hospital Serjeants of the Horse Brigade and Battalions of Artillery are henceforward to be filled by effective Serjeants, drawing the Pay and Staff Pay laid down in G. O. G. dated 17th September 1858.

2. The addition of one Serjeant to the strength of the Horse Brigade and each Battalion of Artillery thus sanctioned, has effect from 23rd October 1858, the date of the order of Government.

A. O. 11th November 1858.—I. The following alteration is to be made in para. 84 (amended by A. O. No. IV, 19th September 1855) of A. O. No. 18 dated 20th March 1855.

Erase the last line, viz. “*direct to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery,*” and substitute” through Officers Commanding Artillery in Divisions,” or “through the Head Quarters of the Corps to which they belong if serving in the same Division.”

A. O. 19th November 1858.—I. Agreeably to instructions from His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to cancel the A. O. No. I of the 14th June 1858 making the services of the Director Artillery Depôt and Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery

* Madras G. O. G. 17th September 1858, No. 361.

available for employment in the management of the Mount Mess, and these Officers will accordingly cease to serve either as President or Members of the Committee from the 1st proximo.

A. O. 24th November 1858.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that whenever men, to whom the Silver medal with Annuity, or with Gratuity on discharge, have been awarded for meritorious services, are recommended for promotion in the Annual Recommendation Rolls or otherwise, the circumstance of their having been granted the Medal and Annuity, or Gratuity, is invariably to be noticed when reporting upon their character, in the column assigned for that purpose.

DEPARTURES.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
11th Oct.	Lieut. R. L. Gordon,	Calcutta	Europe.
9th Nov.	Capt. H. E. Hicks,	Madras	Bengal.
" "	Lieut. St. J. C. Shawe,	"	{ Bengal en route to Saugor Field Division.
" "	" W. Bryden,		
" "	" W. H. Montgomerie,	"	Bengal.
11th "	Capt. C. T. Collingwood,	Mount	Kamptee.
18th "	Lieut. W. Wyndham,	"	Bellary.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
26th Nov.	Senior Captain (Bt. Major) E. Brice,—To be Lieut. Colonel, vice Anstruther retired.—Date of Commission 5th November 1858. This promotion absorbs supernumerary Captain C. H. Harrison.	
30th "	Lieut. T. I. M. Hog.—To be an Assistant Commissioner in the Saugor and Nerbudda Territories.	
" "	Lieut. G. F. Blair,	Temporarily appointed to the Pegu Survey.
	Adjutant 3d Battn. Artillery.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1858. 3rd Novr.	Lieut. W. Bryden. ... ..	.....	d. d. 1st	B.	4th	To join the Compy. now with the Saugor Field Division at once via Calcutta. The above order cancels the posting of Lieut. B. Yaldwyn in G. O. C. C. 21st October 1858.
10th "	Lieut. H. D. Gloag. ...	C.	1st	D.	5th	To join at Mangalore at the public expense and to Command the Company in Malabar.
16th "	A. Company 5th Battn. {	Penang and Malacca.		Mount.		
	E. " 5th " {	Cuttack and Sumbulpore.		Penang and Malacca.		
	1st Suppl. Compy 5th "	Mount.		Cuttack and Sumbulpore.		
18th "	Lieut. C. E. Pritchard ...	d. d. No. 5 L F B. Bangalore.				
	" W. Wyndham ...	doing duty 1st Battalion Mount.		C.	1st	To proceed to join forthwith at Bellary at the public expense.
29th "	Captain (Bt. Major) J. G. Balmann ...	1st Suppl. Compy.	5th	A.	5th	
	" (Bt. Major) G. Selby.	A.	5th	1st Suppl. Compy.	5th	To join on arrival from England and to Command the Artillery in the Northern Division.
	2nd Capt. J. Blair. ...	B.	1st	A.	1st	
	" " C. Cameron ...	A.	5th	E.	5th	To Command the detachment to be located at Malacca.
	Lieut. T. I. M. Hog ...	{ D. d. D.	{ 5th 3rd	{ D.	{ 3rd	
	" J. W. Watkins ...	A.	1st	A.	5th	
	" C. J. McMahon. ...	B.	5th	A.	5th	To return to the Mount in Command of the Company.
	" E. T. Ouchterlony. ...	d. d. C	2nd	A.	4th	To proceed to join the Company with the Saugor Field Division as soon as dismissed Riding School at Bangalore.
	" H. L. Armstrong ...	d. d. C	2nd	A.	1st	To proceed to join at Singapore as soon as dismissed Riding School at Bangalore.
	" H. G. Pritchard ...	do.	do.	A.	4th	To proceed to join their Companies with the Saugor Field Division, as soon as dismissed Riding School at Bangalore.
	" A. M. Rawlins. }	do.	do.	B.	4th	To proceed to join at Secunderabad as soon as dismissed Riding School at Bangalore.
	" H. F. Pritchard ...	do.	do.	C.	4th	To join at once at Mount.
	" B. Yaldwyn ...	.....	d. d. 1st	1st Suppl. Compy.	5th	
	" J. F. Pierson. ...	.....	do.	C.	2nd	To join at Bangalore.
	" Hon'ble A. B. de Montmorency. ...	.....	do.	A.	3rd	To join in Bengal.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858	Names.	Where and Remarks.
5th Nov.	Capt. C. Elliot, Deputy Commissioner, Raipore.	The leave published in G. O. G. 31st August 1858, No. 338, is extended to the 28th February 1859, to remain at Madras and Bangalore.
18th "	Brigadier W. H. Miller, } Brevet Major J. Babington, }	
		Neilgherries, S. C. in continuation till 30th June 1859.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1858	Names.	Remarks.
5th Nov.	Lieut. E. W. Childers,	Leave extended for 6 months.
19th "	Capt. G. B. B. Holmes,	Permitted to embark for Europe from Bombay, with reference to leave notified in G. O. G. No. 358. 14th September 1858.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1858		
24th Nov.	Lieut. H. D. Gloag, Bellary,	} Qualified for the General Staff, under Para 11, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853, No. 46.
	" F. L. Playfair, Singapore,	

Lieut. W. H. Caine, Kamptee,	} Creditable Progress.
" J. Mc Neil, Trichinopoly.	

The Moonshee allowance to be disbursed to Lieutenants McNeil, and Caine

SADDLE CONTRACT FUND.

DISTRIBUTION OF DIVIDENDS OF THE SADDLE CONTRACT FUND

FOR 1857

Horse Brigade.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Major F. Burgoyne, for the whole year.....	4684	13	8			

No 1 Horse Field Battery.

Bt. Major R. Kinhead, from 1st May 1857 to			
21st March 1858.....	521	6	10
Lieut. R. Pope, from 22d March to 30th April			
1858.....	64	2	10
	<hr/> 585 9 8		

No. 2 Horse Field Battery.

Bt. Major G. S. Cotter, from 1st May to 26th October 1857.	}	429 15 8
Bt. Major G. S. Cotter, from 11th Jany. to 26th February 1858.		
Bt. Major G. S. Cotter, from 20th March to 30th April 1858.		
Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell, from 27th Oct. 1857 to 10th January 1858.	}	155 10 0
Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell, from 27th February to 19th March 1858.		
		585 9 8

No. 3 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. J. D. Scott, from 1st May 1857 to 20th January 1858.	}	508 9 6
Capt. J. D. Scott, from 14th Feby. to 6th April 1858.		
2nd Lieut. F. C. Trevor, from 21st January to 13th February 1858.....		38 8 1
Capt. A. Stewart from 7th to 30th April 1858...		38 8 1
		585 9 8

No. 4 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. F. W. Bond, for the whole year.....	585 9 8
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No. 5 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. H. T. Molesworth, from 24th Oct. 1857 to 31st March 1858.....	246 5 3
Capt. W. S. Mann, from 1st to 30th April 1858	46 7 7
	292 12 10

No. 6 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. H. T. Molesworth, from 19th Dec. 1857 to 31st March 1858.....	113 6 1
Capt. W. S. Mann, from 1st to 30th April 1858	33 0 4
	146 6 5

No. 7 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. E. H. Couchman, from 10th July to 11th September 1857.....	127 0 8
Capt. A. V. Falls, from 12th Sept. 1857 to 30th April 1858.....	458 9 0
	585 9 8

No. 9 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. C. H. Harrison, from 9th Sept. to 5th December 1857.....	55	0	10
Lieut. C. L. Yeoman, from 6th Dec. 1857 to 30th April 1858.....	91	5	7
	<hr/> 146 6 5		

No. 10 Horse Field Battery.

Capt. A. N. Scott, from 9th Sept. 1857 to 3d January 1858.....	73	3	2
Capt. G. Carleton, from 4th to 11th Jany. 1858	5	0	0
Brevet Capt. A. C. Jones, from, 12th Jan. to 4th March 1858.....	32	8	6
Brevet Capt. C. M. J. Thornton, from 5th Mar. to 30th April 1858.....	35	10	9
	<hr/> 146 6 5		

No. 11 Horse Field Battery.

Lieut. J. S. Baird, from 28th Sept. 1857 to 30th April 1858.....	292	12	10
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ORDERS CONFIRMED.

12th November 1858.

18th October 1858—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Captain C. M. J. Thornton, 4th Battalion Artillery, to act as Interpreter to No. 6 Company 9th Battalion Royal Artillery, from the 18th October 1858, without prejudice to his Regimental duties, vice Lieutenant R. C. Henchy relieved.

RETIREMENT.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 458, dated 23rd November 1858.

The undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) P. Anstruther C. B., of the Artillery (now in Europe), on the pension of his rank, from the 4th November 1858.

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Lieutenant Colonel P. Anstruther was a Cadet of 1823, and arrived in India 10th March 1825—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 17th June 1824; as 1st Lieutenant 19th June 1824; as Captain in the Army 17th June 1839; as Captain in the Regiment 10th November 1839; as Major in the Army 26th May 1841; as Major in the Regiment 12th August 1853; as Lieutenant Colonel in the Army 11th November 1851; as Lieutenant Colonel in the Regiment 12th August 1853, and as Colonel in the Army 22d August 1855.

Did duty with the 1st Battalion Artillery from 23d March to 4th June 1825, the date of his being posted to the 2d Battalion Artillery.—Removed to the 1st Horse Brigade 15th August 1825, and to the 2nd Horse Brigade 10th April 1826, to the A Troop of which he was Adjutant from 15th July 1827 to 1st February 1831, and Adjutant of the F. Troop Horse Brigade (The first and 2d Brigades having been amalgamated) from 2d February 1831 to May 1835, in the mean time he had been absent on private affairs to the Presidency from 15th September 1830 to 7th March 1831, and on Sick Certificate to the Neilgherries from 13th February to 17th July 1832.

Appointed Deputy Commissary of Ordnance to the Malacca Field Force in G. O. G. 17th July 1832, but the appointment was cancelled in G. O. G. 21st September 1832.

Was Absent on private affairs to the Presidency and Coimbatore from 27th May to 8th October 1835 and on Furlough to Europe from 9th October 1835 to 2nd October 1839, in the mean time, he had been removed to the 2nd Battalion Artillery 20th July 1835.—Was Removed to the 3rd Battalion Artillery 3d October 1839, and again to the 2nd Battalion Artillery 11th February 1840.

Served with the Expedition to China from 13th April 1840 to 18th January 1843 and received the China Medal: Was present at the capture of Chusan 5th July 1840; Was prisoner of war with the Chinese from 16th September 1840 to 24th

February 1841 ;—Was at the storming of the heights and Forts before Canton on the 25th May 1841, and the action of the 30th May 1841 ; on which occasion his conduct was brought to the notice of Government by Major General Sir Hugh Gough Commanding Expeditionary Force as follows :—vide G. O. G. 20th August 1841, and G. O. C. C. 25th August 1841.

“ The practice of the two Companies of the Madras Artillery was most creditable, and their indefatigable exertions in getting the Guns and Ammunition to the heights called for my best thanks.—I feel it a duty to assure your Lordship that Captain Anstruther and every Officer, Non Commissioned Officer and Lascar most creditably did their duty.”

Was present at the taking of Amoy 25th August 1841—second capture of Chusan 1st October 1841 :—Capture of Chinhae 10th October 1841, and Capture of Ningpo 13th October 1841 ; on the occasion of the capture of these three latter cities, Lieut. Colonel Anstruther's (then Captain) services were again recorded in the despatches of his Excellency the Commander in Chief Lieutenant General Sir Hugh Gough K. C. B. and G. C. B. of which the following are Extracts, vide Fort Saint George Gazette Extraordinary dated 30th December 1841, and Artillery Order No. 683, dated 3d January 1842.

1st. Extract from the despatch of Major General Sir Hugh Gough K. C. B. Commanding Expeditionary Force addressed to the Right Honorable the Earl of Auckland G. C. B. Governor General &c. &c. dated Head Quarters Tinghae, Island of Chusan 3d October 1841.

“ During these operations by the praiseworthy efforts of the Madras Artillery, under Captain Anstruther, the light field guns had been brought to the summit of the heights, and opened their fire on the walls and town.

2nd Extract from General Orders to the Expeditionary Force dated Head Quarters Tinghae City 3d October 1841.

“ The well directed fire of the Detachment of the Royal and Madras Artillery from Turnbull Island, and the exertions of the

“ Madras Artillery on Chusan, in getting their guns over
 “ almost impracticable ground and their fire from successive
 “ points were alike distinguished”.

3d. Extract from the despatch of His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Hugh Gough, K. C. B. and G. C. B. Commanding Expeditionary Land Force addressed to the Right Hon'ble the Earl of Auckland G. C. B. Governor General of India &c. &c. dated Head Quarters 18th October 1841.

“ From the rapidity of
 “ these movements and the
 “ difficulties of the ground,
 “ the guns could not be
 “ brought forward enough
 “ to act, but Captain Anstruther of the Madras Artillery
 “ with the usual alacrity of that Corps brought up the rock-
 “ ets which now began to play”.

Was present at the capture of Ningpo 13th October 1841 ;
 Repulse of night attack on Ningpo 10th March 1842 ; action
 at Tsekee 15th March 1842 ; capture of Chappo 18th May
 1842 ; capture of Woosang and Shanghae 15th June 1842 ;
 Storming of Ching Keang foo 21st July 1842, and operations
 before Nankin in August 1842.

At the termination of the war with China, honorable mention was made of Lieutenant Colonel Anstruther (then Brevet Major) in the despatch of His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Hugh Gough G. C. B. Commander in Chief and Commanding Expeditionary Land Force China dated 25th July 1842—vide Artillery Order No. 742 dated 11th November 1842.

Was appointed a Companion of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath on the 24th December 1842.

Removed to the Horse Brigade 20th January 1843, and commanded the E. Troop from 13th February 1843 to 25th April 1845, and the C. Troop from 5th June 1845 to 18th March 1846.

Was Superintendent Gunpowder Manufactory from 3rd March 1846 to 20th August 1849 ; in the mean time he had been removed to the 4th Battalion 18th March 1846; absent on private affairs to Rajahmundry from 20th October to 20th December 1847, to Calcutta from 4th November 1848 to

14th April 1849, present at the battle of Chillianwallah 13th January 1849 and the battle of Goojerat 21st February 1849, and was mentioned in General Gough's despatch to Government dated Head Quarters, Camp Goojerat, 26th February 1849, as having attended him in the Field, vide Fort Saint George Gazette Extraordinary 21st March 1849.

Was Secretary Military Board from 21st August 1849 to 14th February 1854, in the mean time he was absent on private affairs to Madras from 1st to 14th March 1851, and to the Cape of Good Hope from 15th March 1851 to 23d October 1852; his services were placed at the disposal of the Commander in Chief for Regimental duty from 23rd October 1852 to January 1854; Removed to the 3rd Battalion Artillery 23rd June 1852, and commanded the D. Company from 13th November 1852 to January 1854; Served with the 2nd Expedition to Burmah from 13th November 1852 to 30th June 1853, the date of cessation of hostilities and was noticed in the despatch from Brigadier General S. W. Steel C. B. Commanding Martaban Column, dated Camp Tounghoo, 23d February 1853, to Government as follows "the efficiency of "the small park of Madras Artillery, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Anstruther, C. B., has been always conspicuous"; Removed to the Golundauze Battalion 3rd October 1853.

Was Superintendent Gunpowder Manufactory from 15th May 1854 to 10th May 1856.

Returned to Europe on Sick Certificate 10th May 1856 and retired from the Service on the 4th November 1858 as 7th Lieutenant Colonel, in the mean time he had been transferred to the 1st Battalion Artillery 15th January 1858.

REPORTS TO BE MADE TO THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF IN THE EAST INDIES, WHEN TROOPS FROM THE PRESIDENCIES OF FORT ST. GEORGE AND BOMBAY, SHALL CO-OPERATE WITH THOSE OF BENGAL.

G. O. G. No 468, 30th November 1858.—The following

General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Military Department, Allahabad, 11th November 1858.

No. 517 of 1858.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to direct, that, whenever Troops from the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay shall be employed to co-operate, directly or indirectly, with Troops of the Presidency of Bengal, the Officers in Command of the Troops of the several Presidencies shall report their operations to the Commander in Chief in the East Indies, for the information of the Government of India; independently of, and in addition to, any reports which under the regulations of the service such Officers may be required to make to the Commander in Chief and the Government of the Presidency to which they immediately belong.

RULE FOR APPLICATIONS FOR REPAYMENT OF DEPOSITS ON ACCOUNT OF THE ESTATES OF MILITARY PERSONS DECEASED.

G. O. G. No. 469, 30th November 1858.—The G. O. G. dated the 22d April 1851, No 79, Section 5, directs that all applications for repayment of Deposits on account of the Estates of Military Persons deceased, are to be made to the Military Secretary to Government, accompanied by Bills according to the Form No. 3 annexed to it.

This Rule not being observed in all cases, it is hereby notified in order to prevent needless delay, as well as to save and lighten the Dawk, that all Officers Commanding Corps or detachments, as well as Merchants and Agents, are required hereafter to pay strict attention to it, and prepare Bills according to the Form* above referred to.

* Annexed for immediate reference.

When an application and Bill are received by the Military Secretary, the Bill will be transmitted by him to the Ac-

countant General with the orders of Government sanctioning payment.—The Accountant General will pass the Bill and forward it to the Officer or party concerned, with an Official letter.

FORM.

Her Majesty's Government of India.....Dr.

To amount deposited in the General Treasury (or in the Treasury of the Paymaster at——— as the case may be) on the———185—, by the Officer Commanding the——— on account of the Estate of——— of the same Corps deceased on the———

Company's Rupees 000-0-0

Station and }
Date. }

Signature (to be signed here before transmission to Military Secretary.)

Received——this day of——
185—, from Her Majesty's Government of India, through the Sub Treasurer of the Government of Fort Saint George (or through the Paymaster at——— as the case may be) the abovementioned sum of Company's Rupees.

To
The Sub Treasurer or Paymaster at (wherever the money is to be drawn.)

Signature (to be signed here on receipt of money)

RULES REGARDING THE PRODUCTION OF CERTIFICATES OF NO DEMAND BY MILITARY OFFICERS, WHEN ABOUT TO PROCEED ON LEAVE BEYOND SEA.

G. O. G. No. 501, 21st December 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, in supercession of existing Rules regarding the production of Certificates of "No Demand" by Military Officers when about to proceed on leave beyond Sea, to promulgate the following Rules for general observance.

1. Every Military Officer whether Staff, Regimental, or in Civil Employ, on applying for leave beyond Sea, whether to Europe or elsewhere, (leave under G. O. C. C. 2d July 1856, No. 34, excepted) will be required to submit

Military Officers in Civil employ, from the Accountants of the Government under which they are employed.

Officers of the Public Works Department, from the Chief Engineer Department Public Works.

Officers of the Stud and Commissariat Department, from the Auditor of Commissariat Accounts.

Officers of the Ordnance Department, from the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

Regimental and other Military Officers, from the Divisional Paymasters, countersigned in all practicable cases by the Military Auditor General.

with his application for Leave, a report from one of the Officers noted in the margin, according to his Department, stating, whether, with reference

to the information before him, there is reason to require security as a special case on account of any doubtful items outstanding against the applicant, or because of any thing suspicious or extraordinary in the state of the applicant's accounts.

2. The Reporting Officer must not delay his report in ordinary cases, by references to local Officers, as with a proper, system of despatch and proper vigilance on his part, he ought in all ordinary cases, to have the means of judging in his own Office.

3. All Officers are reminded of the necessity of using every means in their power for the settlement of their accounts, in order to obviate inconvenience to themselves from any delay in the issue of the reports by the several Departments concerned.

ADDITIONAL HORSE, SADDLE AND BRIDLE TO BE BORNE ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE HORSE BRIGADE.

G. O. C. C. No. 109, 16th December 1858.—With the Sanction of Government the Commander in Chief directs that an additional Horse, Saddle and Bridle be borne on the Establishment of the Horse Brigade Artillery, consequent on an effective Serjeant having been Authorized for the situation of Hospital Serjeant.

THE ORDER RELATIVE TO OFFICERS SERVING IN PEGU AND THE STRAITS, OBTAINING LEAVE TO INDIA, TO BE CONSIDERED APPLICABLE TO ALL OFFICERS &c. EMPLOYED BEYOND THE LIMITS OF THIS PRESIDENCY.

G. O. C. C. No. 112, 27th December 1858.—The Commander in Chief directs that *G. O. C. C. No. 11*, dated 26th February 1855, notifying that Officers belonging to Regiments serving in Pegu and the Straits and Settlements who obtain leave to India for the benefit of their health and are entitled to a free passage to rejoin, should be at Madras one month prior to the expiration of their leave, be considered applicable to all Officers, Warrant Officers and others employed in Bengal or elsewhere beyond the limits of this Presidency,

PROHIBITING THE PRACTICE OF TAKING CHEST MEASUREMENTS BY MAKING THE RECRUITS HOLD THEIR HANDS ABOVE THEIR HEADS.

G. O. C. C. No 113, 29th December 1858.—It having been brought to notice that a practice prevails of taking Chest measurements of Recruits by making them hold their hands above their heads, the Commander in Chief directs that this practice be strictly prohibited as not being fair either to the Service or to individuals.

A. O. 24th December 1858.—I. The following is published for general information.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 4529.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

14th December 1858.

The rates of Pay for the grades of the Indian Artillery noted in the margin,* laid down in *G.*

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * <i>Foot Artillery.</i> Buglers. Half Pay Buglers. <i>Horse Artillery.</i> 2d Trumpeters. Farriers. Rough Riders 1st Class.
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O. G. G. No. 1251, published in Madras *G. O. G. 17th September 1858, No. 361*, being lower than the old rates, the Governor in

Council grants authority for the individuals on those grades

on 17th September 1858 drawing, in addition to the rates established in the G. O. referred to, the difference between the old and the new rates ; subject to the orders of the Government of India, to whom a report will be made, and the statement appended to para. 2 of the Military Auditor General's report submitted.

2. The Governor in Council also sanctions the Farrier Major of the Horse Brigade being effective in the rank of Serjeant, and drawing the Pay and Staff Pay laid down for that grade in the Honorable Company's European Artillery in G. O. G. G. No. 1251 of 1858.

ARRIVALS.

1858	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
6th Decr.	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. Selby,	Europe	Madras.
6th „	Gent. Cadet T. W. Roberts,	„	„
6th „	„ C. C. Saxton,	„	„
19th „	„ C. W. Brereton,	„	„
28th „	Captain C. H. Hutchinson,	Jubbulpore	„
31st „	Lieut. J. G. Marshall,	Europe	„
31st „	„ H. P. T. MacCarthy	„	„

DEPARTURES.

1858	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
15th Novr.	Lieut. W. R. D. Sewell,	Calcutta	Europe
10th Decr.	„ J. F. Pierson,	St. Thomas' Mount	Bangalore
10th „	„ Hon'ble A. B. de Montmorency,	„	Bengal
13th „	„ A. C. Davidson,	}	Bangalore
13th „	„ M. M. Bowie,		
13th „	„ P. M. Rolland,		
16th „	„ A. H. Roberts,		
28th „	„ W. Bisset	„	Thayetmyo

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
7th Decr.	Gent. Cadet Mr. T. W. Roberts,	Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.
„	„ Mr. C. C. Saxton,	
21st „	„ Mr. C. W. Brereton,	Do. Do.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
16th Decr.	Lieut. W. Bisset, d. d. 1st Battalion,—C. Company 3d Battalion,	To proceed to join at Thayetmyo at once.	
31st „	Capt. W. C. F. Gosling,—D. Company 4th Battn.—F. Troop Horse Brigade.		

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
3d Decr.	Lieut. F. S. Budd,—Neilgherries S. C. from 1st October 1858,	to 1st October 1859—sub- ject to the provisions con- tained in para 5, page 290, General Regulations of the Army.
7th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. G. Balmain, Depy. Comr. Raichore Dooab.	} Granted leave of absence for 30 days from 12th December 1858.
28th „	Lieut. C. Elliot, Depy. Comr. of Nagpore.	
31st „	Lieut. W. R. D. Sewell,—To visit Calcutta, from 10th Octo- ber to 30th December 1858, preparatory to applying for leave to Sea or to Europe, on medical certi- ficate, under the new Rules.	} The extension of leave granted to remain at Madras and Bangalore un- til the 28th February 1859, granted in G. O. G. 5th November 1858, No. 427, has been confirmed by the Government of India.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1858

23d Decr. Lieutenant W. F. Grey,—Creditable progress. The Moonshee allowance to be disbursed to Lieutenant Grey.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

14th December 1858.

30th April 1858.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, directing Lieutenant H. L. Dempster of the D. Company 5th Battalion, to proceed by dawk at the public expense to join his Company at Cannanore.

14th December 1858.

1st November 1858.—By the Resident at Hyderabad, permitting Captain N. G. Campbell, Commandant 2d Company Artillery, Hyderabad Contingent, to proceed to the Neilgherry Hills, on medical certificate, with leave of absence from the 28th October 1858, the expiration of his privilege leave, to the 31st December 1859, under the Old Furlough Regulations.

17th December 1858.

1st November 1858.—Dinapore Division Order, directing 2d Captain W. J. Bradford, of the A. Company 3d Battalion Madras Artillery, to proceed and join Lieutenant Colonel C. J. B. Riddell, C. B., of the Royal Artillery, at Allahabad, in the capacity of Orderly Officer.

DEATH.

At Trichinopoly, on the 18th December 1858, Lieutenant W. J. Cottam Artillery.

Lieutenant W. J. Cottam was a Cadet of 1857 and arrived in India 15th April 1857.—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 12th December 1856 and promoted to Lieutenant from the same date (12th December 1856).

Did duty with the 1st Battalion Artillery from 18th April 1857 to 16th April 1858, the date of his being posted to the 2d Battalion Artillery. Was 52d Lieutenant on the date of his decease 18th December 1858.

MADRAS FIELD BATTERIES PLACED ON THE SAME SYSTEM AS THOSE OF BENGAL, AS REGARDS THE CONTRACT SYSTEM FOR THE REPAIR OF CARRIAGES.

G. O. G. No. 3, 4th January 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Commander in Chief in India, is republished.

Adjutant General's Office, Allahabad, 7th December 1858.

BY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

Government has been pleased to sanction that the Madras Field Batteries be placed on the same footing as those of the Bengal Artillery, as regards the contract system for the repair of carriages, for such period as they may continue to serve in the Bengal Presidency.

MODIFICATION OF THE RULES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ISSUE OF RATIONS TO EUROPEAN TROOPS.

G. O. G. No. 9, 7th January 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India, is also republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Allahabad, the 20th December 1858.

No. 589 of 1858—The Right Honorable the Governor General is pleased to direct the following partial modification of the Rules laid down in Government General Order* No. 876, of 28th October 1853, in connection with the issue of rations to the European Troops.

Clauses 7 and 12, under which the Contractor for meat is not allowed the option of exchanging any portion of the meat tendered for a Corps or Hospital which may be deemed objectionable, are modified to the extent of allowing the Contractor, or his Agent, the option of exchanging the objectionable meat forthwith; should he refuse to do so, a Committee is to be convened in the manner prescribed in Clauses 7 and

* Published in Madras G. O. G. 15th November 1853, No. 233.

8 of the General Order of 1853, and in the event of the meat being condemned, and the Contractor still refusing to exchange it, the course prescribed in Clause 12 of that Order is to be followed.

DETACHMENTS OF ROYAL AND COMPANY'S ARTILLERY SERVING TOGETHER, TO BE FORMED INTO A DIVISION UNDER COMMAND OF THE SENIOR OFFICER.

G. O. C. C. No. 1, 8th January 1859.—The Commander in Chief is pleased to republish for information and guidance the following General Order issued by the Right Hon'ble the Commander in Chief, in India, dated Head Quarters, Allahabad, 25th October 1858.

“The Right Honorable the Commander in Chief, is pleased to direct that whenever Detachments of the Royal and Company's Artillery may be serving together, whether in a Station or in the Field, the whole shall be formed into a Division under the Command of the Senior Officer; but His Lordship desires it may be distinctly understood that the exercise of the Command is in no way to interfere with the manner of enforcing discipline, the drill or interior economy of the respective services.”

DIRECTIONS FOR THE CARE OF ENFIELD RIFLE AMMUNITION.

G. O. C. C. No. 2, 8th January 1859.—With the view of ensuring the greatest care being taken by Corps armed with the Enfield Rifle of the ammunition in pouch and in Regimental Charge generally, the Commander in Chief directs, that as few rounds be carried loose as may be considered consistent with the nature of the duty in hand. The Bundles of Ammunition are not to be opened until the moment for their use has arrived.

2. The Commander in Chief is pleased further to direct that as “Enfield Rifle” cartridges are usually kept in parcels of ten each, and as after firing a few rounds the remainder if left loose in the pouch are very liable to injury by being shaken, they should always if possible be tied together, and

this be done before moving even the shortest distance from the Field or practice ground.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PROMOTION OF LIEUT. COLONELS TO COLONELS UNDER THE ROYAL WARRANT OF OCTOBER 1854.

G. O. G. No. 19, 14th January 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Military Department, Allahabad, the 1st January 1859.

No. 613 of 1859.—In their Military Despatch to the Government of India, No. 42, dated the 16th of February 1858, published in Government General Orders No. 603, of the 17th of April 1858, the Hon'ble the Court of Directors of the East India Company were pleased to declare, that it was fully intended that the Officers in the Service of the Company "should receive the same benefits of promotion as Her Majesty's Officers under the Royal Warrant of October 1854."

Previous to the receipt of this intimation, the promotion of Officers of the East India Company's Service had been

G. G. O. No. 366 of 1855.

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Genl. Order by Govr. Genl.

dated 21st Sept. 1855.

G. G. O. No. 922 of 1856.

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regulated in accordance with instructions received from the Hon'ble Court, as notified in the several General Orders cited in the margin; which instructions applied the Provisions of the Royal Warrant of October 1854, in a

modified form only, to the case of Officers of the Company's Service.

In fulfilment of the intention of the Hon'ble Court, as expressed in their Despatch of February last, above quoted, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General is pleased to direct the following arrangements:—

First.—That all Regimental Majors, being Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels, who had held Command of Regiments for three years before the date of Her Majesty's Warrant of the 6th of October 1854, or who subsequently, during the operation of that Warrant, have completed the period of three years in Command of Regiments, shall be promoted to Colonel by Brevet from the 28th of November 1854, or from the date of completion subsequently of their respective periods of Command.

Second.—That all Lieutenant-Colonels, in the Army, whatever their Regimental rank, who previous to the date of Her Majesty's Warrant of the 6th of October 1854, or during the operation of that Warrant, have held for three years such Staff situations as are declared in that Warrant, or have been declared by the Government of India under the authority of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, to be equivalent to Regimental Command, shall be promoted to Colonel by Brevet from the 28th of November 1854, or subsequently from the date of completion of their period of Staff employ.

The Governor General desires to notify for the information of the Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces in the three Presidencies, that in a Royal Warrant dated the 14th of October 1858, Her Majesty has been pleased to make new Regulations for the promotion of Officers, which from and after the date of that Warrant are to be observed, and will govern the promotion of the Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

In conformity with the 14th Clause of Her Majesty's said Warrant of the 14th of October 1858, the Governor General directs, that Lieutenant-Colonels who held that rank prior to the 20th of June 1854, shall be promoted to the rank of Colonel,—Commissions to bear date the 28th of November 1854.—and that such of the said Lieutenants-Colonels as have been passed over by Officers who have attained the rank of Colonel in conformity with the Provisions of the Royal Warrant of

the 6th of October 1854, shall be restored to the respective places which they would have occupied as Colonels, had they been promoted in ordinary succession under the system of periodical Brevets.

The Governor General requests that recommendations for promotion in conformity with this General Order may be forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Military Department, without any avoidable delay, under the authority respectively of the Governments of Fort St. George and Bombay and of the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief in India.

STAFF APPOINTMENTS VACATED BY OFFICERS OBTAINING THE RANK OF LIEUT. COLONEL, TO BE RETAINED WHILST DRAWING THE PAY AND ALLOWANCES OF MAJOR.

G. O. G, No. 20, 14th January 1889.—The following Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 7th January 1859.

No. 22 of 1859.—The Hon'ble the President in Council, with the concurrence of the Right Hon'ble the Governor General, is pleased to direct that all Staff Appointments held by Officers of Artillery and Engineers which, under existing rules, are required to be vacated on promotion to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel regimentally, shall under the new organization be retained by Regimental Lieutenant Colonels so long as they shall be in the receipt of the pay and allowances of Majors only. Lieutenant Colonels on attaining the full pay and allowances of that rank will as heretofore vacate the appointment in question.

RULES FOR TRIAL BY COURTS MARTIAL OF EUROPEAN OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS OF HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN FORCES AND FOR THE ATTESTATION OF RECRUITS ENLISTING IN INDIA.

G. O. G. No 26, 18th January 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India, is republishèd.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Military Department, Allahabad, the 31st December 1858. No. 612 of 1858.—The Right Honorable the Governor General of India is pleased to notify for observance in the three Presidencies, the following Rules for the trial by Court Martial of European Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, and for the attestation of Recruits enlisting in India into the said Forces.

At trials by Courts Martial of European Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, the Courts are to be formed and are to proceed in exactly the same manner as heretofore, under the provisions of the Statute 20th and 21st Victoria, Chapter 66, for "punishing mutiny and desertion of Officers and Soldiers in the service of the East India Company."

On the enlistment of Recruits, the "Questions to be put separately by the Justice to a Recruit on enlisting,"—given in the Schedule annexed to the Mutiny Act for Her Majesty's Forces, are to be put to the Recruit; but in Question 8, after the words "Infantry," "Cavalry," or "Artillery," as the case may be, these words are to be inserted, "of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces;"—and Question 8, in the said Schedule, heretofore put to Recruits enlisting for the East India Company's Service, is to be discontinued.

The Declaration and Oath in the said Schedule are to be administered to the Recruit; but the additional Oath heretofore administered to Recruits enlisting for the East India Company's Service is to be omitted.

OFFICERS ON FIRST RECEIPT OF OFFICE ALLOWANCE TO LODGE IN THE HANDS OF THE PAYMASTER ANY PORTION DUE TO VACATING PARTIES.

G. O. G. No. 33, 21st January 1859.—With reference

“ All Office allowances other than personal Salaries, whether for Office rent, Writers and Stationery, Lascars, Peons, or for followers of any description, are invariably to be drawn by the Officer in actual charge of the Department on the 1st of the Month following that for which the allowance is claimable, the drawing Officer being responsible for any portion due to another for any period of the month.”

to paragraph 1, “ Office Allowance” Section XXI, Pay and Audit Regulations, transcribed in the margin, the Governor in Council directs that Officers receiving charge of appointments to which Office Allowance is at-

tached, shall, on the first receipt of that allowance, lodge in the hands of the Paymaster of the Circle, any portion of the same due to the vacating party ; and Paymasters are authorized to grant cash Receipts in adjustment of the same.

FORBIDDING THE PRACTICE OF PROVING SOLDIERS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASCERTAINING WHETHER THEY BE DRUNK.

G. .O. C. C. No. 5, 22nd January 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs the publication of the following for observance in this Army.

1. The practice of proving Soldiers, for the purpose of ascertaining whether they be drunk, is forbidden.

2. Whenever European Soldiers are placed under restraint, requiring them to remain uncovered, they are whilst under examination or trial to be deprived of their Caps and any other articles they can make use of as Missiles.

Para. 1 of this order is to be read to all Corps and Detachments of European Soldiers at parade, on three successive days, in order that no Non-Commissioned Officer may hereafter plead ignorance of it.

RULES TO BE OBSERVED IN RESPECT TO THE ENGINEER AND BARRACK DEPARTMENTS.

G. O. G. No. 40, 25th January 1859—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Coun-

cil of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF
THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 11th January 1859.

No. 39 of 1859.—The Honorable the President in Council, with the concurrence of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India, is pleased to direct until further orders that when Troops of one Presidency alone are employed at any one Station the rules of that Presidency shall as far as practicable be observed in respect to the Engineer and Barrack Departments, but that when Troops of different Presidencies are serving at the same place, the rules of the Presidency to which the Station belongs shall apply to all.

PAY AND ALLOWANCES TO BE DRAWN BY LIEUTENANT
COLONELS, SECOND CAPTAINS AND LIEUTENANTS.

G. O. G. No. 47, 28th January 1859.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 21st January 1859.

No. 94 of 1859.—Under instructions from the Home Authorities, and in continuation of Government General Order, No. 1238, of 27th August 1858,* the Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to notify that of the Lieutenant Colonels and Lieutenants of Royal Artillery and Engineers serving in India, those who in England would be restricted to Majors and 2d Lieutenants' pay, shall in India, receive the pay and allowances of Major and 2nd Lieutenant respectively.

* Madras G. O. G. 14th September 1858, No. 355.

2. In like manner three-fourth the fixed establishment of Lieutenant Colonels in the Artillery, and four-fifth in the Engineers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, also two-thirds of the fixed complement of Lieutenants in either Corps, counting from the top of the list, shall receive the pay and allowances of those ranks, and the residue the pay and allowances of Major and 2d Lieutenant respectively.

3. Second Captains in the Royal or Indian Horse Artillery or Engineers shall receive the pay and allowances of

	In Garrison or Canton- ment within the 200 miles limit.	In the field or beyond the 200 miles limit.	Captains, but in the Foot Artillery they shall re- ceive thirteen pence per diem less. This ex- ceptional rate for the 2d Cap-
Pay and Indian Allowance....	251 2 8	251 2 8	
Regimental House rent.....	50 0 0	0 0 0	
Tentage.....	75 0 0	75 0 0	
Extra Batta.....	0 0 0	91 5 0	
Total Rupees..	376 2 8	417 7 8	
Rupees...123 13 1			

tains of Foot Artillery is shown in the margin. The sum held to be included as Military Pay, in any consolidated Civil salaries of 2d Captains of Foot Artillery is Company's Rupees one hundred and twenty-three, thirteen-annas, and eight pie per month, or thirteen pence *per diem* less than in the case of a Captain.

4. This order has effect from 27th August last, and is applicable to the three Presidencies.

A. O. No. 1, 5th January 1859.—I. With reference to paras. 5* and 23, of Section LXXIII, (revised) of the General Regulations of the Artillery, published in A. O. 30th September 1853, Officers Commanding Batta-

* Amended by A. O. 15th December 1855, page 97.

lions of European Artillery will transmit to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, annually on the 1st January, (commencing this year) Recommendation Rolls of duly qualified Serjeants desirous of being nominated to the situation of Band Serjeant Major.

2. Recommendation Rolls are to be prepared in the form established in A. O. No. 5 dated 6th January 1855, pages 3

* 1. The heading and endorsement to be as follows.
 "Recommendation Roll for appointment to the situation
 of Serjeant Major of the Madras Artillery Band."
 2. The columns "Whether thoroughly conversant with
 the several drills &c.," and "For what situation &c.," are
 to be omitted.

and 4, with the modifications noted in the margin,*

and not more than two Non-Commissioned Officers need be recommended from each Battalion.

A. O. No. 2, 6th January 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that on occasions of the Band playing at Promenade or in Public, if, in consequence of weather or other cause, it should appear desirable the men return to Barracks, the orders of the senior Officer of the Regiment present are to be asked for.

A. O. 17th January 1859—I. Referring to A. O. No. 1 of the 10th November 1858, Commanding Officers of Corps and detachments not already provided with patterns of the recently established Khakee clothing, are directed to adopt immediate measures for supplying themselves with patterns, with reference to para. 3 of G. O. C. C. No. 71 dated 26th June 1858; so that by the 1st July 1859 the use of white clothing may be discontinued in every detachment of the Regiment, and that of Khakee clothing introduced.

2. Recruits are to be provided with Khakee clothing as soon after their arrival as practicable.

A. O. 19th January 1859.—II. The following alterations, prepared by the General Mess Committee, will be made in the Artillery Mess Regulations.

The rules (from 60 to 65 inclusive) relative to Honorary Members &c., at pages 14 and 15, are to be superseded by the following.

RULE I.—WITHOUT BALLOT.

Members and Honorary
 Members.

1st. Officers of the Corps of the Madras Engineers actually resident at a station where there is an Artillery Mess.

2nd. Individual Officers of Artillery and Engineers of the Royal Army, and of the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies, who may be visitors at the Presidency, or at a station where there may be a Mess, will be requested to consider themselves Honorary Members.

3rd. When a detachment of the Royal, Bengal, or Bombay Artillery, or Engineers, may be serving in a station or Force with a portion of Madras Artillery, the Officers, should they have no Mess, will, if they desire it, be received in the Mess of the detachment of Madras Artillery as *a body of Officers*, on the same footing as the regular Officers of the Mess; that is, the unmarried, and married Officers without their families, as dining Members; the others as Honorary Members.

RULE II.—BY BALLOT.

Members of the Society at a station, excepting those the Messes of whose Regiments may also be on the spot, are eligible for election by Ballot as Honorary Members of the Mess during residence there;—an Honorary Member therefore quitting a station, if he return must be re-elected in the same way, if he again desire to be a Member.

RULE III.—MODE OF BALLOT.

1st. Every candidate must be proposed by one Member and seconded by one other.

2nd. His name, with those of the proposer and seconder, will be submitted to the Mess Committee, who will circulate a Memo. of the same for the information of all the Officers entitled to vote, with a notice of two days for the Ballot.

3rd. Officers on the sick report are eligible to vote by proxy, on giving written authority for *each* candidate.

4th. The Ballot will continue open two days, from 6 A. M. to 6 P. M. each day.

5th. The Ballot will be conducted by means of one *white* ball only for each vote.

6th. The Balloting box locked shall be given to a confidential servant, who shall have charge of it and the balls

the whole time ; the key remaining in possession of the Secretary.

7th. Each Officer, before voting, is to enter his name in the book kept for the purpose of registering the Ballot.

8th. To render a Ballot valid, two thirds of the Officers eligible to vote shall record their names ; failing which the Ballot will be void.

9th. One dissentient ball in 10 of those who vote, two for any above that number to 20, three for any above 20 to 30, and so forth, will exclude a candidate.

10th. The box and book will not be removed until a Member of the Committee, in presence of the Secretary or of a Member acting in his behalf, shall have opened the box and made the scrutiny.

11th. The Secretary of the Mess Committee will be the medium of communication to the candidate, of the result of the Ballot.

RULE IV.

Honorary Members pay Monthly Subscriptions, but no Donations.

Honorary Members by Ballot, and those that are Honorary Members without Ballot who may reside at the station and avail themselves of the Mess, as well as Officers of detachments received into the Mess under para. 3 Rule I, will be charged, in aid of current expenses, the sum of two Rupees monthly.

RULE V.

Honorary Members have privileges of regular Members, excepting in respect to voting or management.

Honorary Members have all the privileges of the other members, excepting that of Balloting or of taking part in the management of the Mess, but do not share in any responsibility.

RULE VI.

Families of Officers of the Regiment, and of Officers of Detachments who are members of the Mess under para. 3 of Rule I, only to receive supplies from the Mess.

During the absence of an Officer of the Regiment, his family may receive supplies, bonâ-fide for their own consumption, from the Mess at

the station they may be residing at, provided he previously has entered into an arrangement, on his responsibility as an Officer of the Regiment, for the monthly discharge of the bills, so as to secure the Mess against loss from any unforeseen contingency. The families of Officers of detachments who may be Honorary Members under para. 3 Rule I may likewise avail themselves of the accommodation of the Mess under this rule, but the privileges can, under no circumstances, be extended to other families.

RULE VII.

Honorary Members to be furnished with extract from Regulations.

On an Honorary Member being admitted into a Mess, an extract from Mess Regulations comprising Rules I, II, IV, V, VI and VII, as well as any other rules which may affect him, are to be sent to him with the intimation of his having been elected.

ARRIVALS.

1859	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
	Jany. 2d Capt. M. C. Lawson,	Bangalore	Madras
	„ Lieut. J. Mc. Neil,	Trichinopoly	„
27th	„ Lt. Colonel T. Lavie,	Saugor Field Division, via Calcutta.	„

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
8th Jany.	„ W. M. D. Wright	„	Bangalore.
18th	„ „ A. W. C. Whinyates,	} St. Thos' Mount	Trichinopoly
	„ „ G. B. Macdonell,		
21st	„ 2d Capt. M. C. Lawson,	Madras	Secunderabad via Masulipatam.
26th	„ Lieut. H. P. T. Mc. Carthy,	„	Bengal.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
7th Jany.	Major W. A. Orr,—Promoted to Lieut. Colonel by Brevet, dated 24th March 1858.	
„	„ Capt. A. W. Macintire.—Promoted to Major by Brevet, dated 20th July 1858.	

11th „ Lieut. J. G. Marshall, } Appointed to the command of
2d Battalion Artillery. } the detachment of Artillery, ordered
from Bangalore to Kamptee and will proceed forth-
with to the former station at the public expense, reporting
his arrival to the Officer Commanding Mysore Division.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859 4th Jany.	Capt. Rt. Major H. H. Bell. B. Comy. 1st Battn.	.....	.....	.....	.....	To proceed to join the Head Quarters 1st Battn. at the Mount when relieved.
	Lieut. J. McNeil.....	A.	2d	B.	1st	To join at Moulmein without delay.
	„ A. W. O. Whinyates } „ G. B. Macdonell... }	d.d.	1st	A.	2d	To join at Trichinopoly.
18th „	B. Troop Horse Artillery.....	.....	4th	.....	2d	
13th „	L. Col. W. H. Miller.....	.....	2d	.....	1st	
	„ G. W. Y. Simpson.....	.....	late promotion	.....	4th	
	E. Brice.....	.....	late promotion	.....	4th	
	Lieut. J. Stewart.....	A. d. d. with in temporary charge of	F. Troop.	F.	H. B.	
	„ R. A. Baker.....	.....	.....	D.	H. B.	To join the Troop now on Service.
	„ Horse Brigade.....	.....	.....	A.	H. B.	To join when relieved from the command of the A. Comy. 4th Battn. and No. 1. Light Field Battery.
	„ C. Johnson.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	„ Horse Brigade.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	„ G. A. Goldingham.....	d.d.	5th	F.	H. B.	To join the Troop with Saugor Field Division when relieved from present duty.
	„ Horse Brigade.....	C.	.....	.....	.....
	„ S. H. E. Chamier.....	F.	H. B.	E.	H. B.	Temporarily employed in the Hyderabad Contingent.
	„ H. P. T. MacCarthy.....	B.	1st	C.	5th	To join in Bengal.
22d „	„ H. D. Gloag, Comd. D. Comy. 5th Battn.	.....	.....	.....	.....	To join the Head Quarters of the Company at Cannanore.
	„ H. L. Dempster.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	To join and Command detachment D. Company 5th Battalion stationed at Mangalore.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
4th Jany.	Bt. Major J. G. Balmain, Depy. Comr. Raichore Doab,	From 12th January to 28th February 1859, in continua- tion of that notified in G. O. G. 7th Decem- ber 1858, No. 477.
7th „	Capt. C. H. Hutchinson.—	From 21st Novr. to 24th Decr. 1858, to appear before the Medical Committee at Calcutta.
	Capt. C. H. Hutchinson,—	For 6 months from 24th Decr. 1858, to proceed to Madras on medical certificate.

- 11th „ 2d Capt. A. C. Jones.—Coonoor, S. C., from 27th December 1858. till 30th June 1859.
- 21st „ Bt. Major G. M. Gumm, } Presidency on medical certi-
 Depy. Comy. of Ord. Bellary. } cate under the Regulations of
 1854, to enable him to obtain a final medical
 certificate, to proceed to Europe.
- 18th „ Bt. Major G. Selby, } From 22d December 1858 to 5th
 5th Battn. Artillery. } January 1859—Madras and to en-
 able him to join.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859. *Names.* *Remarks.*

7th Jany. Lieut. H. McLeod.—On medical certificate under the old regulations, and to embark from Singapore.

ORDER OF THE BATH.

1859

7th Jany. Major A. W. Macintire.—To be an Extra Member of the Military Division of the 3rd Class or Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath.

SERVICES.

1859 *Names.* *Remarks.*

7th Jany. Lieut. R. C. Henchy, } Services placed, retrospectively
 „ S. H. E. Chamier, } from the 13th September 1858,
 at the disposal of the Government of India
 for employment in the Hyderabad Contingent.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

7th January 1859.

8th September 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Captain Thornton, C. Company 4th Battalion Artillery, to officiate as Interpreter to the 12th Royal Lancers, until further orders, without prejudice to his Regimental duties.

14th January 1859.

30th November 1858.—By the Officer Commanding 3rd Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing Lieutenant F. C. Trevor of the 1st Battalion Madras Artillery to, act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Battalion from the 1st December 1858, vice Lieutenant G. F. Blair employed on other duty.

PENSIONED WIDOWS BECOMING ENTITLED TO FAMILY ALLOWANCE ON RE-MARRIAGE, WILL CEASE TO DRAW PENSION FROM DATE OF SUCH MARRIAGE.

G. O. G. No. 54, 1st February 1859.—The Governor in Council is pleased to notify, that Pensioned Widows of the VI and VII Classes who become entitled to the regulated Family Allowance on re-marriage, will cease to draw pension from the date of such marriage.

But in the event of further Widowhood, individuals so circumstanced, will revert to their original pension, unless their subsequent marriage may have entitled them to a higher rate.

CLAIMS OF NATIVE TROOPS FOR BOUNTY CLOTHING TO BE ADJUSTED BY THE GRANT OF COMPENSATION IN LIEU.

G. O. C. C. No. 8, 7th February 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified, that Government have sanctioned all claims of Native troops for Bounty Clothing being adjusted by the grant of compensation in lieu, until the Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing reports that he is able to meet the demands for it.

Commanding Officers will, when necessary, provide their men with Cloaks of Cumby, or of the best materials available.

ALLOTMENT OF BOXES FOR THE PRESERVATION OF CLOTHING &c., IN STORE TO EUROPEAN AND NATIVE CORPS.

G. O. C. C. No. 9, 7th February 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified, that Government have sanctioned the undermentioned allotment of boxes for the preservation of Clothing &c., in store to all European and Native Corps.

For Regiments serving in Burmah or the Straits...4 Boxes.

For do. serving in India.....2 do.

Boxes are also admissible to the other branches of the service in proportion to strength.

RATIONS IN LIEU OF SUBSISTENCE MONEY FOR NATIVE RANKS WHILE IN IMPRISONMENT.

G. O. C. C. No. 11, 9th February 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government has authorised Rations (without Tobacco) being drawn in lieu of the subsistence money of 2 Annas per diem, for the Native ranks, while in imprisonment under the Regimental authorities, whenever the allowance, is found insufficient to maintain them in health.

ON OCCASIONS OF TROOPS PROCEEDING BY SEA, REPORTS TO BE MADE TO THE OFFICER COMMANDING THE STATION AT WHICH THEY DISEMBARK AS TO ARRANGEMENTS, COMFORT &c.

G. O. C. C. No. 15, 25th February 1859.—His Excellency the Commander in Chief directs that in future on all occasions of Troops proceeding by Sea, the Officer Commanding the Troops and the Medical Officer in charge, will, on arrival at their destination, submit respectively, reports to the Officer Commanding the station at which they may disembark, as to the efficiency or otherwise of the arrangements made for the accommodation and comfort of the Troops, in order, that in the event of there having been any defect therein an enquiry may be at once instituted with a view to further proceedings being adopted, if necessary.

A. O. No. 3, 2d February 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that a short course of Driving drill in Gun schools, be added to the course of instruction in equitation which Officers are already required to undergo before entering on the general duties of the Regiment.

II. As it appears that the directions for the Manual and Platoon exercises for the short Rifle, contained in the new

Infantry Manual,* and directed† to be applicable to the smooth bore Fuzil with certain modifications,

* Dated 15th September 1857.

† G. O. C. C. No. 89, 20th August 1858.

have not been adopted in all parts of the Regiment, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the new system of instructions for Company drill, formations of fours in supersession of threes, file marching, &c. contained in this Manual, so far as they can be made applicable to the Artillery, be adopted without further delay in the Regiment, the word "Bayonets" being of course substituted for "Swords" wherever the latter occurs.

2. The attention of Commanding Officers is called also to G. O. C. C. No. 92 dated 4th September 1858, directing the practice of posting sentinels &c. as laid down in Section XII, "Duties in Garrison," of the General Regulations of the Army, to be continued to be observed, although it may differ from the system established in the "Infantry Manual."

3. It is further directed that both the G. O. C. Cs. as per margin* be transcribed on the blank pages at the commencement of each copy of the "Infantry Manual" in use with the Regiment, in order that they may not be lost sight of.

* No. 89, 20th August 1858,
No. 92, 4th September 1858.

4. The instructions for the Platoon exercise in the new "Infantry Manual" render those contained in "The Platoon exercise &c. Edition 1857" (introduced by G. O. C. C. No. 15, 22nd April 1857,) obsolete;—all copies of the latter Book are accordingly to be returned into store in conformity with para. 11, Section V, page 23, General Regulations of the Army.

A. O. 7th February 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified, for general information and guidance, that Government has, in Minutes of Consultation No. 330 dated 25th January 1859, sanctioned the introduction of Trumpets into all Light Field Batteries, for use at all Barræck and Stable duties,—the Bugle is to be used at exercise only.

Staff Serjeants.....	1
Driver Serjeants.....	2
" Corporals.....	2
" Bombardiers....	2
Buglers.....	2

2. Government has further sanctioned (in Minutes of Consultation No. 331 dated 25th January 1859) the equipment of all mounted men

belonging to Light Field Batteries, with the exception of the Drivers, with a Light Cavalry Sword, instead of the one at present in use.

II. In publishing the subjoined letter from the Adjutant General of the Army, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the special attention of all Commanding Officers of Light Field Batteries to G. O. C. C. 13th May 1850, No. 31, on the subject of the preparation and despatch of Saddle Contract Returns.

No. 522.

To,

The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery,

SIR,

Inconvenience and delay having been experienced in the preparation of the General Annual Statement of Saddles, Harness, and Horse appointments in use with the mounted branch of the Army, required to be forwarded from this Office to the Military Auditor General on the 1st May, owing to the late period in some cases at which the Statements for Horse Field Batteries have been received, and to their incorrectness in others, I have the honor, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, to request you will be good enough to call the attention of Officers Commanding Batteries to the preparation and transmission of the above documents as laid down in G. O. C. C. dated 13th May 1850, No. 31.

I have the honor to be &c.

ADJT. GENL.'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
4th February 1859. }

(Signed) CRAWFORD COOKE, Major,
Deputy Adjt. Genl. of the Army.

ARRIVALS.

1859	Names	From	At
7th Feby.	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. M. Gumm, Depy. Commy. of Ordnance.	Bellary	Madras
9th "	Lieut. W. H. McCausland,	Europe	"
10th "	Capt. J. W. F. Taylor,	Secunderabad	"
21st "	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. A. Gunthorpe	Masulipatam	"

DEPARTURES.

1859	Name.	From	To.
13th Feby.	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. M. Gumm,	Madras	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	Name.	To.
11th Feby.	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. Rowlandson, Acting Superintendent Gun Powder Manufactory.	To be Superintendent of the Gunpowder Ma- nufactory, vice Simpson promoted.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859 19th Feb.	2d Capt. W. F. B. Laurie.... " C. L. Yeoman..... Lieut. R. A. Baker.....	C. A.	4th 2d	A. C.	2d 4th	Staff. To join at Secunderabad. Directed to join the Head Quarters of the Horse Brigade at Banga- lore, on the expiration of the 3 months Furlough to Calcutta, granted him in G. O. G. 8th Instant No. 62.
24th "	Capt. (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell } Lieutenant. J. McNeil ... }	... ... }	..... ..... }	..... ..... }	..... ..... }	So much of G. O. C. C. dated 4th Jany. 1859 di- recting the former Officer to proceed to join the Head Quarters 1st Batta- lion Artillery at the Mount and removing the latter from the A. Company 2nd to the B. Company 1st Battalion Artillery is can- celled.
28th Feb.	2d Capt. J. de C. Sinclair... " R. Morton..... " J. R. Magrath..... " G. C. Robinson.... " F. Cobbe..... " C. Elliot..... " G. Dangerfield.... " G. B. Prior.....	A. A. C. D. C. C. C. C.	3rd 1st 5th 5th 3rd 2nd 5th 4th	B. D. H. B. Non- C. 1 2d H. B. Non- Effective. H. B. Non- Effective. B. 2nd A. 4th	1st 1st Effective. 2d Effective. Effective. 4th	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
4th Feb.	2d Captain C. Elliot, Depy. Comr. of Raipore,	The extended leave granted in G. O. G. 5th November 1858, No. 427 (Confirmed in G. O. G. 510 of 1858) is further extended on Medical Certificate till the 31st March 1859, to enable him to remain at Madras.
8th „	Lieut. R. A. Baker H. A.—	For 3 months under the old Regulations, to remain at Calcutta en route to join the D. Troop H. B.
15th „	Lieut. W. M. D. Wright,—	Neilgherries S. C. from 22nd January to 30th September 1859.
16th „	Lieut. Colonel T. Lavie,—	Madras (via. Calcutta) S. C. from 22nd November 1858, to enable him to obtain a final medical certificate to proceed to Europe.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
11th Feb.	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. M. Gumm, Depy. Comy. of Ordnance Bellary,	On medical certificate, for 15 months under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
25th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. G. Balmain, Depy. Comr. Raichore Doab,	On medical certificate for 18 months under the regulations of 1854.

MEMO :

The retirement of Captain (Brevet Major) Henry Lawford of the Artillery from 30th October 1858, announced in G. O. G. No. 67, dated 11th instant, absorbs supernumerary Captain Benjamin Campbell Hitchins.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

15th February 1859.

28th January 1859.—By the Deputy Commissary of Ordnance Bellary, directing Lieutenant W. Manderson of the

Artillery, to assume charge of Bellary Arsenal from the 28th January 1859.

RETIREMENTS.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 67, dated 11th February 1859.

“ The undermentioned Officers having adduced satisfactory reasons in support of their requests have been permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified, viz.

“ Major Henry Lawford, from the 30th October 1858.”

* * * *

Major H. Lawford was a Cadet of 1828 and arrived in India 10th August 1829 :—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 12th December 1828 ; as 1st Lieutenant 22d June 1836 ; as Captain in the Army 12th December 1843 ; as Captain in the Regiment 9th May 1849, and as Major in the Army 20th June 1854.

Did duty with 3d Battalion Artillery from 13th to 18th August 1829 the date of his being posted to the Battalion.—Removed to the 2nd Battalion Artillery 2d April 1830 and again to the 3d Battalion Artillery 2d February 1831.

Served with the Malacca Field Force from 24th February to 7th August 1832 ; was employed in the carrying most of the Stockades in the Nanning territory in the second expedition in 1832, and was favorably noticed in Brigade Orders by Lt. Colonel Herbert, Commanding Malacca Field Force on the 3d and 25th May 1832.

Was absent on sick certificate to Singapore from 7th August to 18th September 1832.

Was acting Staff Officer of Artillery Penang from 8th January to 21st June 1833.

Removed to the Golundauze Battalion 12th October 1833, to the 2d Battalion Artillery 26th June 1834, and to the 1st Battalion Artillery 13th November 1834.

Was absent on sick certificate to Bangalore and the Neilgherries from 6th May to 4th July 1835; to the Presidency from 10th December 1835 to 16th January 1836 and to Europe from 16th January 1836 to 18th December 1838; in the mean time, he had been removed to the Golundauze Battalion 1st February 1837.

Removed to the 3d Battalion Artillery 31st December 1838, and to the Golundauze Battalion 8th May 1839, the C. Company of the latter Battalion he commanded from 20th June 1839 to 9th July 1842, and from 9th December 1842 to 26th May 1846, in the mean time he passed examination in Hindoostanee "Creditable progress" 24th June 1844, and on the 26th November 1844, qualified as Adjutant and General Staff, and on Sick certificate to the Presidency and Neilgherries from 11th July to 8th October 1842.—

Was Adjutant 5th or Golundauze Battalion Artillery from 29th June 1847 to 9th February 1850.

Removed to the 2d Battalion Artillery 4th January 1850 and commanded the A. Company from the 10th, and the Artillery in the Tenasserim Provinces from 30th January 1850 to 22d November 1851.—Removed to the 1st Battalion Artillery 24th September 1851. Absent on private affairs to the Presidency from 21st December 1851 to 21st February 1852.—Commanded No. 1 Horse Field Battery from 21st February 1852 to 5th September 1854, in the mean time, he had been removed to the 4th Battalion 27th July 1853 and again to the 1st Battalion Artillery 26th January 1854.

Absent on sick certificate to the Presidency from 5th September to 24th October 1854 and to Europe from 24th October 1854 to 10th February 1858, in the mean time he had been removed to the 4th Battalion 7th September 1857, to the 2d Battalion 26th October 1857, to the 3d Battalion 18th November 1857 and to the 1st Battalion Artillery 15th January.—Returned to Europe on Sick Certificate 1st May

1858, where he retired from the Service on the 30th October 1858, as 12th Captain.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 77, dated 23d February 1859.

“ Lieutenant Colonel Tudor Lavie of the Artillery, is permitted to retire from the service on the Pension of a Colonel, “ from the 23d February 1859.”

Lieutenant Colonel T. Lavie was a Cadet of 1823 and arrived in India 3d June 1825.—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 13th October 1824; as 1st Lieutenant 24th October 1824; as Captain in the Army 13th October 1839; as Captain in the Regiment 6th January 1841; as Major in the Army 11th November 1851; as Major in the Regiment 10th April 1856, and as Lieutenant Colonel 10th April 1856,

Did duty with the 1st Battalion Artillery from 14th June to 13th August 1825, the date of his being posted to the Battalion.—Removed to the Horse Brigade 16th August 1825. Was Acting Adjutant B. Troop 1st Horse Brigade from 15th March to 15th May 1828; absent on sick certificate to sea from 26th May 1828 to 8th January 1829; Adjutant 1st Horse Brigade from 3rd March 1829 to 1st February 1831 and in the mean time passed examination in Hindoostanee 21st May 1830; Acting Quarter Master Horse Brigade from 2nd February to 22nd October 1831, in the mean time he was Acting Assistant Adjutant General Artillery from 15th May to 18th September 1831; and on Captain Polwhele resuming charge of this Department the services of Lieutenant Lavie were noticed in Artillery Order No. 362, dated 18th September 1831 as follows:—“ The Acting Commandant of Artillery takes this opportunity of thanking “ Lieutenant Lavie for the ready assistance he has at all “ times received from him; and the satisfactory manner in “ which Lieutenant Lavie has conducted the duties of Assistant Adjutant General during the absence of Captain “ Polwhele is highly creditable to him.” Was Acting Adju-

tant and Acting Quarter Master Horse Brigade from 25th October 1831 to 7th March 1832, and was Acting Riding Master Horse Brigade from 11th August 1829 to 12th February 1832.

Removed to the 3rd Battalion Artillery 8th March 1832.

Was Assistant Secretary Military Board from 13th March to 16th September 1832 ;—Acting Deputy Secretary Military Board from 17th August to 16th September 1832 ;—Deputy Secretary Military Board from 17th September to 15th November 1832 ;—Acting Secretary Military and Marine Boards from 26th September to 15th November 1852 ;—Acting Deputy Secretary Military Board from 16th November 1832 to 4th February 1833 ;—Assistant Secretary Military Board from 5th February 1833 to 19th May 1836, in the meantime he was absent on private affairs to Bangalore from 1st to 25th August 1834 and to the Cape from 9th October 1835 to 9th May 1836 ;—Acting Deputy Secretary Military Board from 20th May to 10th October 1836 ;—Deputy Secretary Military Board from 11th October 1836 to 27th November 1843, in the meantime he had been removed to the 1st Battalion Artillery 23rd June 1841 ; Absent on private affairs to Bangalore from 1st to 31st July 1842 and from 1st to 31st January 1843 ; Acting Secretary Military Board from 24th February to 30th December 1840, and Secretary Military Board from 28th November 1843 to 20th August 1849, in the meantime he was absent on private affairs to Chittoor from 4th to 28th March 1846 and removed to the 3rd Battalion Artillery 6th January 1849. During the 17 years he was in the Secretariat of the Military Board, he was almost daily in conference with the Principal Commissary of Ordnance and the Officers of the Arsenal of Fort Saint George, and in communication with that Department prepared allotments for the Naning, China, Coorg and Kurnool expeditions, and for the military armaments generally which took place between the years 1832 and 1849 ; and

during the same period prepared revisions of the allotments for the several out Station Arsenals, and being the Ordnance Secretary prepared all communications for the Ordnance Departments throughout the Madras Presidency. Was Superintendent Gunpowder Manufactory from 21st August 1849 to 6th May 1854, in the meantime he was absent on private affairs to the Neilgherries from 11th January to 6th April 1854 and was on special duty to Bengal, to enquire into the improvements in the manufacture of Gunpowder at that Presidency from 27th September 1850 to 13th January 1851.

Absent on Furlough to Europe from 6th May 1854 to 8th August 1857, in the meantime he had been removed to the Horse Brigade 24th June 1856 and to the 1st Battalion Artillery 26th February 1857.

Removed to the 4th Battalion 18th November 1857 and to the 3rd Battalion Artillery 30th November 1857. Commanded Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from 7th to 15th December 1857.—Commanded a Division of the Madras Artillery with the Saugor Field Division from 9th December 1857, and conveyed the Siege Train from Nagpore to Jubulpore in January 1858.—Commanded the Artillery Brigade of the same Division from 29th June to 2nd December 1858, and was present at the affair of Jeanjung in Bundelcund 9th April 1858, of Kobraee 17th April 1858, and at the battle of Banda 19th April 1858, on which occasion Lieut.-Colonel (then Major) Lavie's services were recorded in the despatch* of Major General G. C. Whitlock, Commanding Saugor Field Division, dated Camp Banda, 24th April 1858 as follows * * "Major Lavie assumed command,† and I "have special satisfaction in recording the steadiness and "intelligence with which he conducted his important duties," and Brigadier W. H. Miller, Commanding Artillery Brigade

* Despatch in G. O. G. 7th June 1858, page 564-8 and 564-10.

† After Brigadier Miller had been severely wounded.

Saugor Field Force in his letter No. 50, 20th April 1858 to the Assistant Adjutant General Artillery, Saugor Field Division, makes honorable mention of Major Lavie as follows :—IV. “ It is not very often, I believe that opportunities offer to Artillerymen of distinguishing themselves in any line other than their own, but some such having presented themselves yesterday, were eagerly laid hold of by Officers and men. Major Lavie cut down one Gunner, and disarmed another flying from one of the enemy’s guns taken”; * * * *

“ VI.—The conduct during the action of every Officer and man under my orders, merits my unqualified approval and highest admiration; but I would beg leave to bring more prominently to the favorable notice of Major General Whitlock, the names of the following Officers, viz :—Major Lavie, Commanding Madras Artillery Division;” * *

Was sent by Major General Whitlock, on special duty with Major Ludlow of Engineers, to make a report on the Hill Fort of Adjeeghur in May 1858.

Was present at the capture of enormous prize at Kirwee on the 6th June 1858.

Brigadier Miller on relinquishing the command of the Artillery Brigade makes further mention of Major Lavie in his Artillery Brigade Order; dated Camp Banda, 28th June 1858, as follows :—

“ To Major Lavie Commanding Division Madras Artillery,
“ * * * the Brigadier’s cordial acknowledgements are eminently due for the very able and zealous manner in which they have on all occasions afforded him the benefit of their valuable assistance and support in the performance of his duties.”

Was employed on special duty at Allahabad from 5th to 22nd August 1858.

Was absent on Sick certificate to Calcutta and Madras from 2nd December 1858 to 23d February 1859, the date of his retirement from the Service, as tenth Lieutenant Colonel.

DISCONTINUING THE WEAR OF THE LEATHER STOCK.

G. O. C. C. No. 18, 5th March 1859.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief directs that the regulation promulgated in the subjoined General Order by the Right Honorable the Commander-in-Chief in India, dated Adjutant General's Office Allahabad, 15th February 1859, be considered applicable to the Madras Army.

“ The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct that the instructions contained in the following G. O. which was issued to the Royal Regiments serving in India on the 19th Ultimo, for discontinuing the wear of the leather stock, shall be held applicable also to Her Majesty's Indian Forces.”

“ ‘ In conformity with instructions from the Horse Guards
“ ‘ Her Majesty's Forces in India will discontinue the wear
“ ‘ of leather Stocks.’ ”

“ ‘ With full dress, a small black neck-cloth will be worn
“ ‘ to be provided by Regimental arrangement of a uniform
“ ‘ pattern, at a price not exceeding that of the Regulation
“ ‘ stock.’ ”

“ ‘ With the summer Clothing no neck-cloth will be required.’ ”

NATIVE COMMISSIONED OR NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS IN CHARGE OF RECRUITING PARTIES TO BE FURNISHED WITH PASSPORTS FOR EVERY INDIVIDUAL OF THE PARTY.

G. O. C. C. No. 20, 7th March 1859.—With reference to General Regulations Section XXIX, paras 15 and 16, on all occasions of Recruiting parties being detached from Corps, the Officer Commanding the Regiment or Detachment from

which such parties are furnished, will supply the Native Commissioned or Non-Commissioned Officers in charge, with a Passport for every individual of the party, in order that the same may be used as an authority for the man's absence from his Corps, when employed separately on any Recruiting Expedition.

When such parties are detached from Corps under a European Officer, the Officer will himself furnish the requisite Passport to any individual he may detach.

RULES UNDER WHICH THE WIVES OF NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS DRAWING PAY ARE ENTITLED TO BEDDING.

G. O. C. C. No. 21, 7th March 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G. 16th March 1858, No. 100*, publishing rules for the supply of Bedding to European Troops, &c., the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that under a recent decision of Government, all European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers on the Town Major's List;—which includes those attached to Native Corps and Departments, and the Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers drawing pay, and consequently entitled to reside in Barracks;—are entitled to Bedding, provided their husbands are attached to Regiments of European or Native Troops.

MEN OF EUROPEAN CORPS TO BE PROVIDED WITH WICKER HELMETS.

G. O. C. C. No. 25, 15th March 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs that Officers Commanding European Corps will without delay provide their men with Wicker Helmets, covered with dyed Cotton Cloth of the approved pattern.

The price of the Helmet and cover, together with a turban of the same color as the cover, should not exceed (2) two Rupees.

Drawings of the Helmet will be furnished to Commanding Officers as soon as received from the Chief Engineer's Office.

THE SYSTEMS OF DRILL AND EXERCISE IN USE WITH THE ROYAL ARTILLERY, TO BE INTRODUCED INTO THE MADRAS ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 26, 16th March 1859.—With the sanction of Government the Commander in Chief directs the introduction into the Madras Artillery, of the *systems of Drill and Exercise in use with the Royal Artillery.

The new system, is to be at once adopted at the Mount and at every other station where the required Books of instruction may be available.

RESPONSIBILITY OF INDENTING OFFICERS AS REGARDS RECEIVING SUITABLE MILITARY STORES.

G. O. C. C. No. 29, 19th March 1859.—The attention of Officers Commanding Corps is called to the following Ex-

tracts from Sec. XXIII. Page 323, Military Board's Circular relative to the responsibility of Indenting Officers as regards receiving suitable Military Stores—

Ordnance Regulations 8 Para Sec. IX—When Stores are prepared for delivery to a Corps, whether on account of an Annual Indent or for occasional supplies, it will be the duty of the Officer Commanding to see that they are in all respects serviceable. *G. O. G. No. 216, Para 5.*—It will be competent to Officers in Command of Divisions or Forces to order the assembly of Special Committees of which they are themselves to be Presidents when practicable, when deemed necessary on occasions of difference of opinion between supplying and receiving Officers, or between the Ordnance and Inspecting Officers—Reports of every such Committee to be transmitted without delay to the Military Board.

XXIII. The marginal orders indicate the degree of responsibility attaching to Commanding Officers as

to receiving only such Stores as are suitable to the purpose for which required; and it is therefore advisable, that when extensive and important Stores are in course of delivery Quarter Masters of Regiments and other Indenting Officers should attend personally to receive the Stores.

CASES IN WHICH THE TIME OF ABSENCE FOR RETIREMENT ON FULL PAY IS AUTHORIZED TO BE RECKONED.

G. O. C. C. No. 32, 21st March 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G. 15th September 1857, No. 290*, the Commander

in Chief desires it to be notified that the privilege of reckoning the time of absence in the period of service required for retirement on full pay is authorised "in case of wounds" or illness contracted by Service in the Field, duly certified "by a Medical Board, when each case will be separately considered with reference to the time to be allowed."

In all such cases a specific description is to be given in a report by a Medical Board of the nature of the illness and of the grounds upon which it is considered that the illness has been contracted by Service in the Field.

All such grants of leave should be made for periods not exceeding 18 months to be extended if necessary.

UNIFORM AND APPOINTMENTS OF THE MADRAS ARTILLERY TO BE THE SAME AS THE ROYAL ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 33, 23d March 1859.—With the sanction of Government the Commander in Chief directs, that the uniform and appointments of the Royal Artillery, be considered as the costume in full and undress of the Officers of the Madras Artillery, save that the word "Madras" is to be substituted for "Royal" and "M" for "R" wherever necessary.

A. O. 2nd March 1859.—V. Lieutenant Colonel G. Briggs having vacated the acting appointment of Director Artillery Depôt on promotion, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery begs to offer him his best thanks for the manner in which the duties of his office have been performed; brief though the period has been, it has been long enough to prove Colonel Briggs' qualifications, and which Brigadier Hamond has fully appreciated.

VI. Major B. W. Black, Assistant Adjutant General Madras Artillery, having been appointed, by G. O. G. of the 1st instant, Director of the Artillery Depôt, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery cannot allow him to relinquish the situation he has held for more than 12 years, without

expressing his satisfaction at the able and efficient manner in which he has performed the duties of his office, and at the same time offering him his best thanks for the great assistance he has been to him while in command of the Regiment.

2. No less than six Commandants of Artillery have placed on record the high opinion they entertained of Major Black's merits, in which Brigadier Hamond fully concurs; and he feels confident that the higher duties and responsibilities which now devolve upon him, will be performed with the same zeal and assiduity that have characterized his career during the lengthened period he has held the situation of Assistant Adjutant General Madras Artillery.

A. O. 4th March 1859.—I. With reference to para. 8 of the Artillery Mess Regulations, (amended by A. O. 13th March 1857,) it is notified that, consequent on the recent reorganization of the Regiment, the Donations and Monthly Subscriptions of Officers to the Mess, as well as the portion of the latter which is to be retained by Local Messes, are as exhibited in the subjoined table.

Table of Monthly Subscriptions and Donations to the Mess.

Ranks.	Monthly Subscriptions.		Donations on entering the Mess.	Donations on Promotion.
	Full amount.	Portion to be retained by Local Messes.		
Colonel	19 6 0	9 8 0	0 0 0	60 14 0
Lieutenant Colonel (1st Class)...	12 6 0	6 0 0	0 0 0	60 14 0
Lieutenant Colonel (2nd Class) ...	9 8 0	4 8 0	0 0 0	42 10 0
Captain	5 14 0	3 0 0	0 0 0	16 2 4
Surgeon	5 14 0	3 0 0	140 0 0	70 0 0
2nd Captain	5 10 0	2 8 0	0 0 0	53 13 8
Lieutenant (1st Class)	3 8 0	1 8 0	0 0 0	10 0 0
Lieutenant (2nd Class)	2 14 0	1 0 0	60 0 0	0 0 0
Assistant Surgeon	3 8 0	1 8 0	70 0 0	0 0 0
Veterinary Surgeon	3 8 0	1 8 0	70 0 0	0 0 0

A. O. 10th March 1859.—II. The Brigadier Command-

ant of Artillery is pleased to direct that Sentries of Light Field Batteries are, when paying a compliment to a Field Officer, to give the "Field Officers' Salute."

A. O. 18th March 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has much pleasure in publishing to the Regiment, the subjoined extract from Minutes of Consultation relating to Captain (Major) A. W. Macintire C. B.

No. 250.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

20th January 1859.

Read extract from a dispatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 30th November 1858, No. 31.

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Letter dated 11th August 1858 No. 147.

2. Bring to notice the chivalrous conduct of Captain A. W. Macintire of the Madras Artillery in a recent action at Banda.

40. I have had much satisfaction in bringing under consideration of Her Majesty, the highly distinguished gallantry of Captain Macintire as described in these proceedings. Communicated to the Commander in Chief (Adjutant General's Department.)

A true Extract.

(Signed) F. N. SMITH, Captain.

2d Asst. Adj. Genl. of the Army.

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A. O. No. 4, 25th March 1859.—I. With the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the following

* Applicable to the European portion of the Regiment only.

gimental necessities.

* Same as now worn on the Undress Jacket, as well as on the Tunic.

1st.—The Khakee Coat is to have large buttons* of Regimental pattern substituted for the covered bone ones now on,—they are to be moveable, and fixed with rings or a cord.

2nd.—Shoes, made to lace up in front, are to be substituted for those with clasps now worn by men of the Horse Brigade, and similar shoes are also to be introduced into the Foot Artillery.

Each man of the Regiment, whether of the Horse Brigade or of the Foot Artillery, will hereafter be required to keep up one pair of Boots and one of good Shoes, instead of the allotment fixed in G. O. C. C. 10th October 1853, No. 63, page 345.

* Blue Drawers in Horse Brigade, and Black drill Trousers in Foot Artillery.

3rd.—Blue cotton Banyan Trousers (made to fit loosely) are to be introduced for all men of the Horse Brigade and Foot Artillery, in supersession of the Banyan* Drawers and Trousers now in use, for wear at stables and on fatigue duties.

2. The sealed patterns of Shoes and Banyan Trousers, furnished by the Adjutant General of the Army, will be circulated to Commanding Officers of Corps in the following order,

1st Battalion,
Horse Brigade,
2nd Battalion,
4th Battalion,
3rd Battalion.

Each Commanding Officer, after having provided himself with correct patterns without loss of time, will pass on the sealed

patterns as above directed, the Officer Commanding 3rd Battalion finally returning them to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery.

II. With reference to the recent orders introducing Khakee Clothing, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that the several grades of Non-Commissioned Officers be distinguished by Chevrons of the same material and pattern as are worn on the Undress Jacket.

2. Ornaments (such as the Gun and Crown) and Good Conduct Badges, are not to be worn on the Khakee Coat.

ARRIVALS.

1859	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
—March	Lieut. A. P. Bainbridge,	Rangoon	Madras
27th	„ 2nd Capt. F Cobbe,	Europe	„
28th	„ Captain E. H. Couchman.	Trichinopoly	St. Thomas' Mount

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
14th March	Major J. G. Balmain,	Madras	Europe
16th	„ Lieut. H. W. Hastings,	St. Thomas' Mount	Bangalore.
„	„ G. H. Trevor,		
„	„ C. H. A. Gower,		
„	„ W. E. Lockhart,		
17th	„ Capt. C. L. Yeoman	Madras	Secunderabad
19th	„ Lieut. J. G. Marshall,	St. Thomas' Mount	{ Cuttack
„	„ B. Yaldwyn,		
21st	„ Capt (Bt. Major) G. Selby,	„	Trichinopoly
„	Lieut. C. E. Reid,		

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
1st March	Major B. W. Black, Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery.	To be Director of the Artillery Depôt of Instruction, vice Rowlandson.

1859.	Names.	To.
1st March	Senior Captain (Bt Major) G. Rowlandson,	To be Lieutenant Colonel, vice Lavie retired: date of Com- mission 24th February 1859.- Memo:—This promotion ab- sorbs supernumerary Captain J. H. Elwyn.
8th „	Captain E. H. Couchman,	To be Assistant Adjutant Gene- ral of Artillery.
11th „	Lieut. Col. W. H. Miller,	} To be Colonels in the Army from the 24th October 1858.
	„ T. K. Whistler,	
15th „	2d Captain R. Morton,	To be a Deputy Commissary of Ordnance.
21st „	Lieut. J. Mc. Neil,	Appointed Adjutant and Quarter Master of the 1st Battalion Artil- lery vice Morton.
22nd „	Captain A. Stewart,	} To be Commissaries of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.
	„ W. F. B. Laurie,	
„ „	Colonel Æ. Shirreff,	To be a Major General, date of Commission 13th November 1858
25th „	Lieut. Col. G. Rowlandson,	To take rank from the 13th No- vember 1858, vice Shirreff promo- ted to Major General.
„ „	Senior Captain (Brevet Lieut. Col.) W. A. Orr.	To be Lieut. Colonel vice Lavie retired, date of Commission 24th February 1859. N. B.—This promotion absorbs supernumerary Captain S. Rippon.
29th March	Lieut. C. D. A. Straker, (not arrived)	} Date of rank fix- ed from 10th Decr. 1858.
	„ W. A. Warren, („)	
	„ W. R. C. Brough,	} Date of rank fix- ed from 11th Decr. 1858.
	„ D. V. Shortland,	
	„ W. Freeth,	
	„ C. W. Brereton,	
	„ The Hon'ble H. S. O'Grady,	
	„ R. Thompson,	
	„ A. K. Seacome,	
	„ J. H. Gleig,	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859						
2d March	Lieut. J. G. Marshall.....	B.	2nd	1st Supl	5th	To join forthwith.
8d "	Lieut. J. C. Taylor.....	A.	4th	d d H. B		During the absence in Europe of Lieut. B. L. Gordon or until further orders.
7th "	A. Compy. 3d Battalion Madras Artillery with No. 2 Light Field Battery. (Cadell's).....	.....	.....	.....	.....	From Brigadier Rowcroft's Force to Allahabad and thence to Saugor Division, when relieved by Q. Battery Royal Artillery.
10th "	Lieut. Col. E. Brice.....	.....	4th	H. B. Effective.		
12th "	Lieut. A. H. Roberts.....	d. d. C.	2d	C.	4th	To join at Secunderabad.
	" A. C. Davidson.....	"	"	D.	4th	To join at Rangoon.
	" F. M. Rolland.....	"	"	D.	5th	To join at Cannanore.
15th "	Capt. (Bt. Maj) C. J. Cooke	A.	2d	1st Supl	5th	
	" G. Selby.....	1st Supl	5th	A.	2nd	To join at Trichinopoly forthwith.
16th "	Capt. W. C. F. Gosling.....	D.	4th	F. H. B.		This removal ordered in G. O. C. C. 31st Decr. 1858, is to have retrospective effect from the 22nd November 1858.
" "	Lieut. C. E. Reid.....	d. d. 1st		A.	2d	To join at Trichinopoly.
21st "	Lieut. J. McNeil.....	2d			1st	
24th "	Lieut. Col. (Major Genl.) E. Shirreff.....	.....		Unattached		
29th "	Lieut. Col. J. Maitland.....	.....	H. B. Non-effective.	.....	3rd	
	" G. Rowlandson.....	late promotion.		.....	4th	
	" W. A. Orr.....	do.		H. B. Non-effective.		
	Captain A. Stewart.....	D.	1st	B.	4th	
	" C. H. Harrison.....	B.	4th	D.	1st	To join at Rangoon when he becomes available for Regimental duty.
	Lieut. J. C. Taylor.....	A.	4th d. d.	F. H. B.		To join the H. B. in Saugor Field Division.
	" J. McNeil.....	.....	1st	B.	1st	
	" A. Wynch.....	C.	4th	D.	1st	To join at Rangoon.
	" K. J. L. Maekenzie.....	d. d. 1st		C.	4th	To join at Secunderabad.
	" J. W. Macdougall.....	do.		D.	4th	To join at Rangoon.
	" J. C. Taylor.....	A.	4th	H. B.		

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	Names.	Where and Remarks.
18th March	Lieut. A. P. Bainbridge D. Compy. 3rd Battn. Arty.	Madras and Bangalore on S. C. from 3rd February till 31st August 1859.
22d "	Lieut. R. Pope,	Bombay on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1854, preparatory to obtaining

1858.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
		a final medical certificate to proceed to Europe.
" "	Lieut. W. D. Forster, Adjutant 5th Battn. Arty.	Presidency on S. C. to enable him to obtain a final medical certificate to proceed to Europe.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
18th March	Capt. (Brevet Major) J. A. Gunthorpe, Commy. of Ordinance Masulipatam	On medical certificate for 18 months, under the regulations of 1854, vacating his appointment from date of embarkation.
" "	Lieut. R. Pope,	On Furlough for 3 years, on medical certificate under the old Furlough Regulations.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.

10th March 2nd Captain J. Mc. K. Macintyre—Vizianagram.—Qualified for the General Staff, under para 11, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1858, No. 46.

SERVICES.

1859.

1st March Lieut. Col. G. Briggs,—Acting Director of the Artillery Depôt of Instruction, who by the Retirement of Lieut. Col. Lavie, comes upon the pay and allowances of a Lieut. Colonel, with reference to G. O. G. dated 1st July 1853, No. 130, Clause 5 of para 11, is placed at the disposal of the Commander in Chief for Regimental duty.

DISTRIBUTION OF A DIVIDEND OF THE SADDLE CONTRACT FUND FOR THE YEARS 1857-58.

Horse Brigade.

Major F. Burgoyne, for the whole year,..... 5716 0 2

Deduct advance 4684 13 8

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No. 1 Horse Field Battery.

Brevet Major R. Kinhead, from 1st May 1857 to				
21st March 1858,...	636	3	1	
Deduct advance	521	6	10	
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		114	12	3
Lieut. R. Pope. from 22d March to 30th April				
1858...	78	4	10	
Deduct advance	64	2	10	
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		14	2	0

No. 2 Horse Field Battery.

Brevet Major G. S. Cotter, from 1st May to 26th				
October 1857, from 11th Jany. to 26th Feby.				
and from 20th March to 30th April 1858...	524	9	11	
Deduct advance	429	15	8	
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		94	10	3
Lieut. G. G. J. Campbell, from 27th Oct. 1857				
to 10th Jany. and from 27th Feby. to 19th				
March 1858.....	189	14	1	
Deduct advance	155	10	0	
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		34	4	1

No. 3 Horse Field Battery.

Captain J. D. Scott, from 1st May 1857 to 20th				
Jany. and from 14th Feby. to 6th April 1858.	620	8	8	
Deduct advance	508	9	6	
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		111	15	2
2d Lieut. F. C. Trevor, from 21st Jany. to 13th				
February 1858...	46	15	8	
Deduct advance	38	8	1	
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		8	7	7
Captain A. Stewart from 7th to 30th April 1858	46	15	8	
Deduct advance	38	8	1	
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		8	7	7

No. 4 Horse Field Battery.

Captain F. W. Bond, for the whole year.....	714	8	0	
Deduct advance	585	9	8	
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		128	14	4

No. 5 Horse Field Battery.

Captain H. T. Molesworth, from 24th Oct. 1857				
to 31st March 1858...	311	3	10	
Deduct advance	246	5	3	
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		64	14	7

Captain W. S. Mann, from 1st to 30th April 1858	58	11	7	
Deduct advance	46	7	7	
				<hr/> 12 4 0

No. 6 Horse Field Battery.

Captain H T. Molesworth, from 19th December				
1857, to 31st March 1858...	201	10	0	
Deduct advance	113	6	1	
				<hr/> 88 3 11
Captain W. S. Mann, from 1st to 30th April 1858	58	11	7	
Deduct advance	33	0	4	
				<hr/> 25 11 3

No. 7 Horse Field Battery.

Captain E. H. Couchman, from 10th				
July to 11th September 1857...	125	4	6	
Advance received	127	0	8	
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Difference advance overdrawn	1	12	2	{ To be re-
				covered.
Captain A. V. Falls, from 12th Sep-				
tember 1857, to 30th April 1858...	452	3	1	
Advance received	458	9	0	
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Difference advance overdrawn	6	5	11	{ To be re-
				covered.

No. 9 Horse Field Battery.

Captain C. H. Harrison, from 9th September to				
5th December 1857...	172	4	1	
Deduct advance	55	0	10	
				<hr/> 117 3 3
Captain C. L. Yeoman, from 6th December 1857				
to 30th April 1858...	285	12	10	
Deduct advance	91	5	7	
				<hr/> 194 7 3

No. 10 Horse Field Battery.

Captain A. N. Scott, from 9th September 1857 to				
3d January 1858...	229	0	6	
Deduct advance	73	3	2	
				<hr/> 155 13 4

Captain G. Carleton, from 4th to 11th Jany. 1858	15	10	6	
Deduct advance	5	0	0	
				10 10 6
Brevet Captain A. C. Jones, from 12th January				
to 4th March 1858...	101	12	8	
Deduct advance	32	8	6	
				69 4 2
Brevet Captain C. M. J. Thornton, from 5th				
March to 30th April 1858...	111	9	3	
Deduct advance	35	10	9	
				75 14 6

No. 11 Horse Field Battery.

Lieut. J. S. Baird, from 28th September 1857 to				
30th April 1858...	420	13	11	
Deduct advance	292	12	10	
				128 1 1

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

8th March 1859.

29th June 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Saugor Field Division, directing Major Lavie Commanding the Division of Madras Artillery, to assume Command of the Artillery Brigade from that date, consequent on Brigadier Miller having proceeded in anticipation of leave on medical Certificate.

22nd November 1858.—By the same, directing Major Mein as next senior Artillery Officer in the Division, to assume Command of the Brigade of Artillery from that date, vice Lieutenant Colonel Lavie incapacitated by indisposition from the performance of his duties, and about to leave the Division on medical certificate.

18th March 1859.

2nd March 1859.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, appointing 2nd Captain H. W. Lumsden, 1st Battalion Artillery, to act as Assistant Adjutant General Madras Artillery, vice Major B. W. Black appointed Director of the Artillery Depot.

22nd March, 1859.

18th February 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Division Saugor Field Division, appointing Lieut. D. D. Anderson of the A. Troop Madras Horse Artillery, to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Division Madras Artillery Saugor Field Division, without prejudice to his Troop Regimental duties, vice Lieutenant R. Pope, proceeding to Europe on Sick Certificate.

25th March 1859.

3rd March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing Captain (Major) G. Selby, to act as Adjutant to the 5th Battalion Madras Artillery from the 1st March 1859 inclusive, during the indisposition of Lieutenant Forster, and to act as Quarter Master to the Battalion until the arrival of Lieutenant Watkins, or until further orders.

DEATH.

In Europe, on the 6th January 1859, Lieutenant W. R. D. Sewell, Artillery.

Lieutenant Sewell was a Cadet of 1852 and arrived in India 30th January 1853; date of commission as 2nd Lieutenant 9th December 1852, and as 1st Lieutenant 9th December 1852.

Passed examination in Hindoostanee for a Company 13th July 1853;—Creditable progress 29th January 1855, and for General Staff 30th April 1855.

Was employed as Commissariat Officer at Secunderabad from 18th March to 17th July, and from 7th August to 8th September 1857.

Served with the Saugor Field Division from 24th November 1857 to 7th September 1858 and was present at the battle of Banda 19th April 1858.

Was on Sick Certificate to Calcutta from 7th September till his embarkation for Europe in November 1858, where he died on the 6th January 1859, as 28th Lieutenant.

A DONATION OF RUPEES 2000 PRESENTED TO COLONEL BEGBIE AS A MARK OF APPROBATION FOR TRANSLATING AND PUBLISHING CERTAIN PROFESSIONAL WORKS.

G. O. G. No. 131, 1st April 1859.—The following Extract from a letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 29th September 1858, No. 4, is published for the information of the Army.

Letter dated 29th September 1858, No. 4.

Reply to Military Letter, dated 11th February 1858, No. 21.

Para 1. Government forward for favorable consideration a letter from the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, bringing to notice the number of Works translated and published by Colonel Begbie, of the Artillery, and soliciting a mark of approbation for that Officer.

Council, I learn that Colonel (now Major General) Begbie, has translated or written and published the professional works specified in the margin.*

** Translations.*

1. Decker's Artillery—of bringing Horse Artillery into action with Cavalry.
2. L'espinnasse on the organization of Artillery.
3. DeBrack's outposts of Light Cavalry.
4. Artillery Excerptæ—Chiefly from the Manual D'Artillerie of Louis Napoleon,
5. Migout and Bergerry on Gun Carriages.
6. Piobert's Theoretical and Practical Artillery, now passing through the Press.

Original.

7. Services of the Madras Artillery. consideration of the great advantage of his having thus placed at the disposal of all the Officers of Artillery of the three Presidencies, "information of the highest professional value, which has been effected solely by the unwearying industry of Colonel Begbie," as well as an encouragement to others, "to a zealous devotion of their leisure for promoting the public interest."

1. These papers having been considered by me in

2. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has solicited a mark of approbation for Colonel Begbie in

3. This recommendation has been submitted by your Government for favorable consideration.

4. As a mark of approbation of this Officer's Services in publishing these works, I have resolved, with the concurrence of the Council, to present to him a donation of Rupees 2,000 which you will accordingly pay to his Agents.

PASSAGE MONEY FOR SUBALTERNs ON THE INVALID PENSIONED LIST.

G. O. G. No. 132, 1st April 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 810, 10th July 1857*, regarding the transfer to the Invalid Establishment of Officers declared "unfit for further service," the Honorable the Governor in Council, with the sanction of the Government of India, and with advertence to para 15 of the above *G. O. G.*, is pleased to direct that such Subaltern Officers as may have joined their Battalions, shall receive Passage Money on the terms regulating the Allowance to Subalterns of Effective Corps.

Subalterns on the Invalid Pension List shall receive Passage money only when proceeding to England on retirement from the service, or for the purpose of retiring from the service.

REVISED TABLE OF MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS TO THE ARTILLERY BAND AND MESS FUNDS.

G. O. G. No. 138, 8th April 1859.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following revised Tables of Monthly Subscriptions and Donations to the Artillery Band, in substitution of those established in *G. O. G. 12th April 1850, No. 64.*

Table of Monthly Subscriptions.

	R.	A.	P.
Lieutenant (2d Class)	2	0	0
Lieutenant (1st Class)	2	0	0
2d Captain	4	0	0
Captain	5	0	9
Lieutenant Colonel (2d Class)	7	0	0
Lieutenant Colonel (1st Class)	9	0	0
Colonel	11	0	0

The Subscriptions of Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons to be fixed at the rates respectively of Captains and Lieutenants (1st Class.)

Table of Donations on Appointment and differences of Donations on promotion.

	Amount of Donation.			Difference on Promotion into each rank.		
	Rs.	As.	P.	Rs.	As.	P.
Lieutenant (2d Class)	39	0	0	0	0	0
Lieutenant (1st Class)	46	0	0	7	0	0
2d Captain... ..	81	0	0	35	0	0
Captain	91	0	0	10	0	0
Lieutenant Colonel (2d Class)... ..	120	0	0	29	0	0
Lieutenant Colonel (1st Class)	160	0	0	40	0	0
Colonel	200	0	0	40	0	0

The donations of Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons to be fixed at the rates respectively of Captains and Lieutenants (1st Class.)

With reference to G. O. G. 27th July 1855, No. 193, it is directed that the following amounts of Mess Subscriptions and donations be recovered by Paymasters from the Abstracts of *all* Officers of the Regiment of Madras Artillery, whether present with their Corps or detachments, or absent therefrom on Staff or other duty, or on leave.

	Monthly Subscriptions.			Donation on entering the Mess.			Donation on Promotion.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Colonel	19	0	0	0	0	0	60	0	0
Lieutenant Colonel (1st Class)	12	0	0	0	0	0	60	0	0
Lieutenant Colonel (2nd Class)	9	0	0	0	0	0	42	0	0
Captain	5	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0
Surgeon	5	0	0	140	0	0	70	0	0
2nd Captain	5	0	0	0	0	0	54	0	0
Lieutenant (1st Class)... ..	3	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0
Lieutenant (2nd Class)	2	0	0	60	0	0	0	0	0
Assistant Surgeon... ..	3	0	0	70	0	0	0	0	0
Veterinary Surgeon... ..	3	0	0	70	0	0	0	0	0

2. All sums recovered in the Pay Department on account of the Artillery Mess Fund,
 * Established under authority of M. C., No. 2797, dated 18th June 1839. are to be remitted monthly to the * *Treasurer of the Regiment of Madras Artillery at Saint Thomas' Mount.*

3. Referring to the foregoing orders on the subject of Donations and Subscriptions to the Band and Mess Funds of the Regiment of Artillery, Paymasters to whom, under the provisions of G. O. G. No. 64, dated 12th April 1850 and G. O. G. No. 193, 27th July 1855, applications may be made to recover arrears of Subscription or donation to Band and Mess Funds, are not to defer compliance with such requisitions in consequence of the Officer from whom the recovery is to be made demurring to the claim made upon him: it will rest with the Officer to communicate, in the case of any dispute connected with the Band Fund, to "*the Treasurer of the Band Fund,*" and in the case of the Mess Fund, to "*the Secretary General Mess Committee,*" for any information which he may require regarding the stoppage. These authorities will dispose of the subject, under the adjudication of the Commandant of Artillery if necessary.

4. Should an overpayment be made by an Officer, the Regimental authorities must adjust it with the Officer, by direct remittances, by Cash receipts or otherwise as convenient to the parties. Paymasters are in no case to suspend the recovery of Subscriptions, &c., in consequence of overpayment, or in any other way to be the medium of refund.

5. These arrangements are to have effect from 1st July 1859.

PENSIONS OF MILITARY OFFICERS EMPLOYED IN THE CIVIL DEPARTMENT, MERGED IN THE SALARY OF OFFICE.

G. O. G. No. 143, 12th April 1859.—With reference to G. O. G., 12th March 1859., No. 97 the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Ex-

tract of a Despatch, paragraphs 6 and 7, from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to the Government of India, dated 8th December 1858, No. 23, with the former order therein referred to.

From the Secretary of State for India, 8th December 1858, No. 23.

Para 6.—The rule referred to in these papers, under which

Letter dated the 23d August 1858, No. 113.

Advert to the decision of the Court in the case of Captain W. E. Hay that the rule under which a Civil Pension is merged in the salary of Office should also apply to Military Pensions, and submit for decision a question raised whether the rule is to be held to apply to the subordinate grades of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates. Correspondence with the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, and the Government of Madras, on the subject, forwarded.

the Pensions of Retired Civil and Military Servants merge in the salary of Office, in the

event of their re-employment was not intended to apply to Military Pensioners of the ranks of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.

7. Pensioners from those grades are of two Classes, viz., men who have been discharged after completing their prescribed period of service, and men who have been pensioned on account of unfitness for further Military duty. The former Class are entitled to their pensions as matter of right, and the latter are pensioned, because the public interests are promoted by their discharge. In either case the Pensioners may be well qualified for other than Military duties, and for situations in which their employment could in no way prejudicially affect the interests of their equals in rank in that branch of the service to which they had belonged, men of these grades will therefore be exempt from the operation of the rule referred to.

Extract letter from the Court of Directors, to the Government of India, Financial Department, 6th May 1857, No. 33.

Para 16. We do not see why the rule under which Civil

Letter from, dated 10th September 1856, No. 133.
Report Proceedings of the Government of India in the
Financial Department for the 1st Quarter of 1856.

Paras 87 to 90.—On a reference from the Foreign Department as to the amount net salary to be passed to Captain W. E. Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Kutu in the Punjab, have ruled that that Officer is entitled to draw his pension as a retired Military Officer in addition to the Salary of his Office.

Pension is merged in the salary of Office should not apply to the case of Military Officers

drawing pensions for Military Service, and afterwards employed in the Civil Department, we direct that upon this principle Captain Hay, be allowed the authorized salary of his appointment minus the amount of his pension. With regard to the cases brought forward as precedents, we shall not interfere with them, but we request that in future the above rule be strictly adhered to, you will revise forthwith Captain Hay's allowances accordingly, but we shall not require any refund in that case.

RIFLE PRACTICE BUTTS TO BE MAINTAINED AND KEPT
IN REPAIR BY "*FATIGUE PARTIES.*"

G. O. G. No. 144 12th April 1859.—The Honorable the Governor in Council hereby notifies that His Excellency the Governor General in Council has been pleased to decide that the arrangement prescribed in the annexed copy of a Horse Guards Circular, dated the 12th October 1858, regarding the preparation of works for Rifle practice, by fatigue parties from Corps, shall be made applicable to all Troops in India.

<i>Circular Memorandum addressed to</i>	HORSE GUARDS S. W.,
<i>the Army at Home and abroad.</i>	12th October 1858.
<i>General Number 132.</i>	<i>Instruction of Musketry.</i>
<i>A 53.</i>	29.

The Secretary of State for War, having drawn the attention of the General Commanding-in-Chief to the employment of a *paid* Military "working party," for the purpose of repairing the butts for Rifle practice on South Sea Common; His Royal Highness has had under his consideration, the general subject of the employment of Soldiers in works

of this nature, and has come to the conclusion that, as a general rule, they can be legitimately employed thereon, as a strictly Military duty and without additional pay.

The General Commanding-in-Chief accordingly desires it to be understood, that Rifle practice butts are to be maintained, and kept in repair by "*fatigue parties*;"—in short that all work in the formation of practice ranges &c., such as the throwing up of butts for the targets to rest against, and levelling irregularities in the ground, should be executed by the fatigue labour of the Troops, whenever the nature of the soil is such, that it can be turned and moved with the ordinary entrenching tools furnished by the Engineer Department,

2. The Ordnance Department will furnish such Tools as may be required, on Indent from Corps.

REVISED ALLOTMENT OF DRILL APPARATUS FOR THE SEVERAL CORPS OF THE ARMY.

G. O. G. No. 149, 15th April 1859.—The Honorable the Governor in Council directs the following revised allotment of Drill Apparatus for the several Corps of the Army, to be substituted for that published in the orders noted in the margin. All surplus

G. O. G. 24th March 1835, No. 118.
 Ditto 26th Decr. 1836, " 265.
 Ditto 10th Augt. 1841, " 141.
 Ditto 8th April 1845, " 66.
 G. O. C. 29th Sept. 1846, No. 57.
 Ditto 14th April 1847, " 14.
 G. O. G. 4th April 1848, " 72.
 Ditto 18th Augt 1848, " 176.

Articles to be returned into Store.

Subsidiary orders regarding the Custody and issue of the

Drill Apparatus will be issued by the Inspector General of Ordnance.

Corps.	Standard Measuring.	Backsticks.	Wooden Clubs.	Pace Sticks.	Regulating Plummetts.	Plummet.	Traversing rest.	Tripod and Sand Bag.	Target Iron large size.	Target Iron ordinary size.	Targets Pistol Carbine.	Old Swords.	Sticks with leather Guards complete.	Posts Head Cavalry.	Posts Infantry.	Posts Ring.	Posts with leather heads.	Posts and Boxes, for Pistol Practice.	Bars Leaping complete.	Scaling Ladders.
Brigade of Horse Artillery.....	1 100 12	9	1 6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6 250	250	12	6 10	6	6	6	6	0	
Troop of do. when detached.....	0 0 0	1	1 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 100	100	2	1 2	1	1	1	1	0	
Regiment of Dragoons.....	1 100 16	8	1 8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8 300	300	16	8 16	8	8	8	8	0	
do. Light Cavalry.....	1 50 0	6	1 6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7 150	150	12	6 12	6	6	6	6	0	
Battalion of European Artillery...	1 100 30	9	1 8	1	0	1 6	0	1 6	0	0	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
do. Goulundauze.....	1 60 0	6	1 6	1	1	1 6	0	1 6	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Regiment of European Infantry...	1 100 30 13	1 16	1 0	1 10	0	1 10	0	1 10	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
do. of Native Infantry.....	1 100 0 13	1 16	1 1	1 10	0	50	50	0	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Sappers and Miners.....	1 100 0 13	1 16	1 1	1 10	0	50	50	0	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Company of Arty. when detached.	0 25 10	1	1 2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
do. with Light Field Battery	0 25 10	1	1 2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
when detached.....	1 25 10	1	1 2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	75	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

N. B.—The wooden Clubs already in use, to be retained with Native Corps for the use of Recruits.

OFFICERS ON STAFF EMPLOY EXCEEDING THE PERIOD OF AUTHORIZED LEAVE, REVERT TO REGIMENTAL DUTY.

G. O. G. No. 151, 19th April 1859.—The Governor in Council directs the publication of the following Extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India Military Department, dated 30th March 1859, No. 1416, in reply to an application for the services of certain Officers on Staff and detached employ, whose absence in Europe on medical certificate, had exceeded the period of 15 months.

“I am directed to acquaint you, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that it has not been the practice to place Officers who exceed the authorized period of absence, during which they retain their Staff Situations, at the disposal of the Commander in Chief,

or of the Government of the Presidency to which they belong.

“An Officer exceeding the period of authorized leave, has, I am to add, no Staff employ, unless re-appointed, and he reverts to his Regimental duties.”

OFFICERS COMPELLED TO QUIT THE SERVICE BY WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION &c. PERMITTED TO RETIRE ON THE HALF PAY OF THEIR RANK.

G. O. G. No. 153, 19th April 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 5th April 1859.

No. 458 of 1859.—With reference to Government General Order No. 193, dated 5th October 1836, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the following Military Letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 58, dated 16th February 1859, be published in General Orders:—

Military No. 58.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL,

MY LORD,

Great difficulty having been experienced in dealing with claims advanced by Officers of short periods of service to retire on half pay,

“Officers who are compelled to quit the service by wounds received in action, or by ill health, contracted on duty after three years' service in India, are permitted to retire on the half pay of their rank, viz.—
“2d Lieutenants Cornets or Ensigns 3s. a day, 1s. 6d. a day, and Lieutenants 4s.”

under the clause of the Retiring Regulations established by the late

Court of Directors of the East India Company, by their Despatch to the Governor General of India, dated 11th May

1836, No. 3, as quoted in the margin, I have resolved, with the concurrence of the Council of India, to recommend to Her Majesty the substitution of the following modified Rule, which Her Majesty has been pleased to sanction.—

“ Officers on producing the prescribed Medical Certificates, countersigned by the Commanding Officer, that they are compelled to quit the service by wounds received in action, or by ill health contracted on active service, or on Detachment or out-post, or any Military duty in notoriously unhealthy localities, after three years' service in India, are permitted to retire on the half pay of their Rank.”

I have &c.,

(Signed) STANLEY.

INDIA OFFICE, *London 16th February 1859.*

A SECOND MARKER'S BUTT FOR MUSKETRY PRACTICE TO BE CONSTRUCTED FOR SIGNALLING RICOCHETS.

G. O. C. C. No. 41, 16th April 1859.—The following General Order issued by the Right Honorable the Commander in Chief in India, dated Allahabad 7th February 1859, is republished for guidance.

“ The instructions contained in the following General Order, which was issued to the Royal Regiments in India on the 13th Ultimo, are to be held applicable to Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

“ Under instructions from the Horse Guards, the Commander in Chief in India directs that wherever Musketry Practice Ranges may be erected, and the regulated instruction carried on, a Second Marker's Butt be constructed in rear of the Marker's Butt, capable of sheltering two men, for the purpose of signalling ricochets.

“ Officers superintending the practice should bear in mind that ricochets are never to be allowed to count towards the “ Points ” gained by the several parties when at ball practice.”

CLAIM OF EUROPEAN SOLDIERS OF HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN FORCES TO DISCHARGE OR RE-ENLISTMENT WITH BOUNTY INADMISSIBLE.

G. O. G. No. 164, 29th April 1859.—The following General Orders by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council are republished.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William the 8th April 1859.

No. 480 of 1859.—Upon the recent transfer of the Forces of the late East India Company to the immediate Service of Her Majesty, under the provisions of the Act of the XXI. and XXII Vic. Cap. 106, certain European Soldiers of the East India Company's Forces having claimed their discharge or their enlistment anew into the Queen's Service with fresh bounty, the subject was brought under the consideration of Her Majesty's Government and referred to the Law Officers of the Crown.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council has now to announce to the European Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces in the three Presidencies who were formerly in the Service of the East India Company, that Her Majesty's Government have finally decided that the claim made to discharge or re-enlistment with bounty is inadmissible.

THE OFFICES OF AGENT FOR GUN CARRIAGES AND AGENT FOR GUNPOWDER NOT TO BE VACATED ON PROMOTION TO LIEUT. COLONEL.

Fort William, the 15th April 1859.

No. 520 of 1859.—In continuation of Government General Order No. 256. of the 25th February 1859, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Offices of Agent for Gun Carriages and Agent for Gun Powder which, under existing rules are required to be

vacated on promotion to Lieutenant-Colonel, shall be removed from Class V. and placed under Class IV. in Government General Order No. 489, *of the 10th June 1853, regulating the tenure of Staff employment.

A. O. 11th April 1859.—I. The Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing having brought to the notice of the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery that, owing to want of due care on the part of some Officers of the Regiment in the preparation of measurement Tickets for Clothing, the efforts of his department to meet the wants of the Corps are in a great measure neutralized, the Commandant calls the special attention of the Officers Commanding the Horse Brigade and Battalions to this subject.

2, A complaint has recently been made of Clothing not fitting properly, and a reference to the figures on the Tickets forwarded to the Clothing Agent shewed that had the articles been made according to the measurements given, they would have been out of all proportion for any man.

A. O. No. 5, 26th April 1859.—I. It never yet having been clearly defined on what occasions the detachments of Horse Field Batteries should be carried on the Limbers and Waggons, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased, with the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, to lay down the following rules for the guidance of Officers Commanding. 1st. When a Battery is ordered to march past either at a walk or trot, or is in line at a Review, or moving quickly from one position to another, the Gunners are to be mounted on the Limbers and Waggons,—it is however to be distinctly understood that the Waggons are to be kept out of fire as much as possible.—

2nd. On the line of march the Gunners are not to be carried, but the Officer Commanding the Battery may make

* Madras G. O. G. 1st July 1853, No. 130.

an exception to this rule whenever he deems such a measure necessary.

A. O. 28th April 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has great pleasure in publishing to the Regiment the following letter, No. 2275 dated 26th April 1859, from Army Head Quarters, and Minutes of Consultation No. 1340 dated 7th instant, in connexion with the valuable services rendered by Captain J. H. Elwyn and Lieutenant F. E. Hadow, and the men of the E. Company 5th or Golundauze Battalion under their Command, in the Sumbulpore Districts.

No. 2275.

To,

The Officer Commanding

Northern Division.

SIR,

In annexing Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 7th instant No. 1340, for communication to those concerned, I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to express His Excellency's congratulations to the Officers named in the despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, on His Lordship's complimentary acknowledgment of their services.

I have the honor to be &c.

ADJT. GENL.'S OFFICE, }
FORT SAINT GEORGE, }
26th April 1859. }

(Signed) W. G. WOODS Lt. Col.
Adj. Genl. of the Army

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 1340.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation 7th April 1859.

Read Extract from despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India dated 16th February 1859, No 25.

Letter dated 31st August 1858, No. 166.

3 and 4 Correspondence from the Government of India regarding the services rendered by the Madras Artillery and the 5th and 40th Regiments M. N. I. in the Sumbulpore Districts, forwarded.

8. A copy of this record of the valuable services rendered by the Madras Ar-

tillery and the 5th and 40th Regiments Madras Native In-

• Captain Elwyn... }
Lieutenant Hadow... } Madras Artillery.

fantry has been already received from the Government of India, and in acknowledging it I expressed my concurrence in the Governor General's hearty approbation of the services of these gallant soldiers.—the names of the Officers particularly mentioned are specified in the margin.*

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(True Extract)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,

Acting Secretary to Government.

II. With reference to the orders noted in the margin,*

* G. O. G. No. 209, 4th June 1858.
A. O. No. 10, 11th " "

the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the particular attention of

Commanding Officers to the subjoined letter from the Adjutant General of the Army, directing that Horse Allowance be not continued to young Officers attached to Light Field Batteries for instruction, longer than is necessary.

No. 2276.

To,

The Brigadier Commandant Madras Artillery

SIR,

With reference to the order of the Government of India sanctioning young Artillery Officers temporarily attached

(for instruction) to Light Field Batteries drawing Horse Allowance, I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to inform you that the Home Government has required that "care is to be taken that this allowance be not continued longer than is necessary for the above purpose," and I am directed by His Excellency to request your attention to this caution.

I have the honor to be &c.

ADJT. GENL.'S OFFICE, } (Signed) W. G. WOODS, Lt. Col.,
FORT SAINT GEORGE, } *Adj. Genl. of the Army.*
26th April 1859. }

A. O. 29th April 1859.—I. The following alteration will be made in Rule IV of the Artillery Mess Regulations (re-

MEMORANDUM.

Plate 114 referred to in page 646 "Select Committee Proceedings" will be issued with the next number, viz., for July 1859.

ARRIVALS.

1859	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
9th April	Gent. Cadet Mr. W. A. Warren,	Europe	Madras.
12th "	Lieut. J. W. Watkins,	Singapore	"
30th "	" C. J. McMahon,	Penang	"

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
12th April	Lieut. J. W. Macdougall,	Madras	Rangoon.
18th "	" K. J. L. Mackenzie,	St Thomas' Mount	Secunde- rabad.
29th "	Major General F. Blundell, C. B.	Madras	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
12th April	Captain A. N. Scott,	} To be Commissary of Ordnance to complete the Establishment.
" "	Gent. Cadet Mr. W. } A. Warren, }	
19th "	Colonel P. Hamond,—	To be Commandant of Artillery, with the rank of Brigadier; vice Shirreff, promoted to Major General, with effect from the 22d March 1859.
" "	2d Captain R. Morton,—	The appointment to be a Deputy Commissary of Ordnance in G. O. G. 15th March 1859, is cancelled.—To act in the above capacity during the absence of Major Gumma on Sick cer- tificate, or until further orders.
" "	Lieutenant J. McNeil, } 2d Battn. Artillery. }	Transferred to the 1st Battalion and appointed to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of that Battalion during the absence of 2d Captain R. Morton on other duty, or until further orders.—The above substituted for G. O. C. C. dated 21st March 1859.
28th April	2d Captain H. W. Lumsden,—	Removed from the 1st to the 4th Battalion Artillery and appointed Adjutant and Quarter Master to the latter Battalion, vice Prior deceased.
" "	2d Captain J. McK. } Macintyre. }	To act as Adjutant of the 5th Bat- talion, during the absence in Europe of Lieutenant Forster, or until further orders.
" "	2d Captain R. Morton, } Actg. Depy. Comy. of Ordnance. }	Posted to the Arsenal at Bellary.
29th "	Lieut. S. H. E. Chamier,—	To command the 1st Company Artillery Hyderabad Contingent, vice Lieutenant Colonel Orr, who vacates on promotion.
" "	2d Captain L. F. C. Thomas,—	Confirmed, as a special case, in the charge of the Lucknow Maga- zine, with the rank and allowances of a Commissary of Ordnance, in consideration of the eminent services in the defence of the Residency at Lucknow and at Allumbaugh.

MEMO.—By the death of Captain (Brevet Major) J. A. Gunthorpe of the Artillery on the 5th April 1859, Supernumerary Captain E. H. Couchman is absorbed into the Establishment of that Regiment.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
28th April	2d Capt. C. Desborough.	C. Com. 5th Battn.	B. Com. 3d Battn. To join forthwith.
	„ J. R. J. Robertson.	A. Com. 3d Battn.	C. Com. 5th Battn. To join the Detachment at Dumda, Chota Nagpore, forthwith.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
15th April	Lieutenant R. Pope.	Bombay, from the 15th February 1859, preparatory to applying for leave of absence on sick certificate to Europe, under the old Regulations.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
8th April	Major General F. Blundell	C. B.—On Furlough under the old Regulations.
9th „	Lieutenant W. D. Forster, Adj. 5th Battn. Arty.	} On medical certificate for 15 months under the Regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras
12th „	Lieut. Col. W. M. Gabbett,	—Leave extended for six months.
29th „	2d Captain L. Bridge,	—On sick certificate for 18 months under the old Regulations.

SERVICES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
5th April	Capt. (Bt. Lt. Col.) W. M. Gabbett, Comy. of Ordnance, Trichinopoly.	} Services replaced at the Commander in Chief's disposal for Regimental duty, he having exceeded the period of leave of absence allowed with tenure of ap- pointment.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

30th March 1859.

11th February 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Malabar and Canara, appointing Lieutenant Gloag of the D. Company 5th Battalion of Artillery, to act as Deputy Commissary of Ordnance, during the absence of Major Denton, or until further orders.

5th April 1859.

17th March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Centre Division, appointing Lieutenant K. J. L. Mackenzie, doing duty 1st Battalion Artillery, as a temporary measure to act as Adjutant of the 5th Battalion from 17th March 1859, vice Lieutenant Forster, proceeding to Europe on sick certificate and as Quarter Master 5th Battalion from same date until arrival of Lieutenant J. W. Watkins, or until further orders.

18th March 1859.—By the same, appointing W. H. McCausland, 3rd Battalion, to act as Staff Officer Madras Artillery, Centre Division, as a temporary measure from 16th March 1859, vice 2nd Captain R. Morton, appointed Deputy Commissary of Ordnance.

18th March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding 1st Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing Lieutenant W. H. McCausland 3d Battalion, to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master 1st Battalion Madras Artillery, as a temporary measure, from 16th March 1859, vice 2d Captain R. Morton, appointed Deputy Commissary of Ordnance.

21st April 1859.

16th March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Mysore Division appointing Captain Carleton Artillery to command No. 8 Battery from the 16th March 1859, without prejudice to his present appointment as Adjutant of the Horse Brigade Artillery.

DEATH.

At Madras on the 5th April 1859, Captain (Brevet Major) J. A. Gunthorpe, Artillery.

Major J. A. Gunthorpe was a Cadet of 1828 and arrived in India 20th December 1829.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 12th June 1829; as 1st Lieutenant 5th October 1838; as Captain in the Army 12th June 1844; as Captain in the Regiment 2nd July 1851, and as Major in the Army 28th November 1854.

Passed as Interpreter in Hindoostanee, G. O. C. C. 24th October 1834; was Acting Adjutant 1st Battalion Artillery from 11th November to 11th December 1834, and Acting Staff Officer Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force during the same period.—Was Quarter Master and Interpreter 1st Battalion from 3rd January 1838 to 11th November 1839, and Acting Adjutant from 8th August to 11th November 1839.

Served with the Kurnool Expedition in 1839.—Was present at, and acted as Staff to Major Bond, commanding Artillery at the affair of Zorapore on the 18th October 1839.

Was Adjutant and Quarter Master 1st Battalion Artillery from 12th November 1839 to 30th November 1841, and Adjutant and Quarter Master 3rd Battalion Artillery from 20th January 1845 to 9th November 1848.

Was Acting Commissary of Ordnance at Trichinopoly from 4th February to 9th November 1848, and Commissary of Ordnance from 10th November 1848 to 24th August 1855.

Was Commissary of Ordnance at Masulipatam from 24th August 1855 to 5th April 1859, the date of his decease as 11th Captain.

DEATH.

At Secunderabad on the 26th April 1859, 2nd Captain G. B. Prior, Artillery.

2nd Captain G. B. Prior was a Cadet of 1847 and arrived in India 1st October 1847. Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant, and as Lieutenant 11th June 1847; as 2nd Captain 27th August 1858.

Passed examination in Hindoostanee for General Staff G. O. C. C. 28th November 1849.

Acted as Commissary of Ordnance at Trichinopoly from 7th October to 12th December 1851.

Passed as Interpreter in Tamil G. O. C. C. 27th May 1853, and as Interpreter in Hindoostanee G. O. C. C. 20th October 1854.

Was Acting Adjutant Golundauze Battalion from 17th September to 21st December 1853,—Quarter Master and Interpreter from 20th December 1853 to 25th June 1856 and Acting Adjutant from 10th May to 24th July 1854.

Acted as Station Staff Officer and Superintendent of Police at St. Thomas' Mount from 8th April to 6th June 1856, and again from 1st April to 13th June 1858.

Was Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 2nd Battalion Artillery and Staff Officer of Artillery Centre Division from 16th June to 4th July 1856.—Was Adjutant Golundauze Battalion from 26th June 1856 to 13th June 1858, and in the mean time was Acting Quarter Master and Interpreter from 26th June to 11th October 1856, and Staff Officer Artillery Centre Division from 22nd September 1856 to 14th April 1857.—Was Adjutant and Quarter Master 4th Battalion Artillery from 24th May and Staff Officer Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from 21st June 1858 to 26th April 1859, the date of his decease as 39th 2nd Captain.

COMMANDING OFFICERS TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO ENSURE THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS ON OCCASIONS OF MEDALS, DONATION BATTA, &c., BEING GRANTED.

G. O. C. C. No. 43, 2nd May 1359.—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that on all occasions of Medals, Donation Batta, &c., being granted by Government, it is incumbent on Commanding Officers of Regiments and Heads of Departments to take all necessary steps to ensure the earliest possible adjustment of the claims, not only of individuals present but also of those who may be absent on leave, medical certificate &c.

JUDICIAL AND MAGISTERIAL OFFICERS IN THE COMMISSION OF THE PEACE HAVE AUTHORITY TO RE-ENLIST AND ATTEST EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 172, 3rd May 1859.—The following Notification in the Judicial Department, is republished in General Orders.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, 20th April 1859.

The Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to notify that all Judicial and Magisterial Officers who are in the Commission of the Peace, have authority to re-enlist and attest European Soldiers, who may become entitled to their discharge from the Army under the provisions of the limited Enlistment Act.

TWENTY STIPENDIARY STUDENTS FOR THE ENGINEERING COLLEGE AT MADRAS TO BE SELECTED FROM THE EUROPEAN NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND PRIVATES BELONGING TO H. M.'s INDIAN AND H. M.'s BRITISH FORCES.

G. O. G. No. 175, 6th May 1859.—The Governor in Council is pleased to intimate that it has been resolved to select from the European Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates belonging to H. M.'s Indian, and (with the concurrence of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in

India) H. M.'s British Forces on the Madras Establishment, twenty Stipendiary Students for the Engineering College at Madras, if a sufficient number of eligible Candidates should be forthcoming.

2. The Stipendiary Students of this class will be allowed the same pay, rations and clothing as when they were serving with their respective regiments, and, in addition, ten rupees a month.

3. Their position will be strictly that of Probationers. They will continue to be borne on the strength of their respective Regiments; and such of them as prove not to be qualified either in respect of character or attainments will be sent back to their Regiments.

4. On the other hand, those who prove every way fit, will be appointed Sub-Overseers in the Department of Public Works, or to such other situations as may be considered proper.

5. Time spent in the College of Engineers will be counted for promotions to the grade of Assistant Overseer.

6. Candidates for Stipendiary Studentships must—

- 1st. Be less than 25 years of age.
- 2d. Have uniformly conducted themselves to the satisfaction of their Commanding Officers in the discharge of their duty as Privates or Non-Commissioned Officers.
- 3d. Be thoroughly trustworthy, well conducted men, who can be relied upon to superintend Native workmen efficiently, and to treat them in a becoming manner.
- 4th. Be able to write correctly and legibly from dictation, and to express themselves with reasonable correctness and intelligence in a letter or report.

- 5th. Be familiar with the four first rules of Arithmetic and with Vulgar and Decimal Fractions, and be able to keep accounts—and,
- 6th. Be either acquainted with one of the Vernacular languages of India, or have shown such aptitude and intelligence as furnishes a reasonable presumption that they would acquire a Native language if the necessary facilities were given.

Commanding Officers are requested to furnish full particulars to the Principal of the Engineering College at the Presidency under each of the above heads of such Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates belonging to their respective Corps as they can confidently recommend for Stipendiary Studentships in the Madras Engineering College.

GENERAL MUSTERS OF TROOPS AND DEPARTMENTS DISCONTINUED.

G. O. G. No. 179. 10th May 1859.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the practice of taking *General* Musters of Troops and Departments in the months of January, March, May, July, September and November, be discontinued, Regimental and Departmental Musters being all that the interests of the State seem to require.

Para. 2, Head "Musters," Section 2d of the Pay and Audit Regulations, is accordingly hereby cancelled.

STAFF OFFICERS TO PROVIDE THEMSELVES WITH A LIGHT FELT OR WICKER HELMET.

G. O. C. C. No 49, 11th May 1859.—In continuation of *G. O. C. C. No. 25*, dated 15th March last, the Commander-in-Chief directs that all Staff Officers under His Excellency's orders provide themselves with a Light Felt or Wicker Helmet.

The Helmet ;—Pattern of which may be seen at the Adjutant General's Office ;—is to be worn with a White Quilted Cover and a Turban of Khakee or unbleached muslin.

CAPTAINS AND SURGEONS ADMITTED TO THE BENEFITS OF THE MOONSHEE ALLOWANCE.

G. O. G. No. 187, 13th May 1859.—In assimilation with the* rule in Bengal, the
 • *G. O. C. C. in India, 3d March 1854.* Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the admission, by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, of Captains and Surgeons to the benefits of the Moonshree allowance, in like manner with Subalterns and Assistant Surgeons who may pass an Interpreter's examination in any of the Native languages, for which Moonshree allowance is admissible under existing regulations.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ADJUSTMENT OF THE CLAIMS OF MEN TO BE PENSIONED OR DISCHARGED.

G. O. C. C. No. 50, 14th May 1859.—In consequence of the representations that still continue to be made to the Commander-in-Chief of the delay that occurs in adjusting the claims of European Soldiers placed under the orders of the Town Major for Discharge and embarkation to England or the Colonies, His Excellency desires that Officers Commanding European Corps will in future observe the following instructions.

2. The claims of Men to be Pensioned or discharged are to be settled before they leave their Regiment, Battalion or Depot; and a report made to Army Head Quarters, when this has been done. Men of the Artillery will then, (under orders from Head Quarters) be collected at the Mount and Infantry Men at the European Infantry Depot, and there await an intimation from the Town Major that passage has been provided for them.

3. Under present Regulations, European Soldiers examined up Country and pronounced unfit for any further

Service are required to be finally examined at the Presidency—This course is still to be pursued: but their claims are to be adjusted before they leave their Regiments: and after their examination at the Presidency they will be sent (under orders from Head Quarters) to the Mount or to the European Infantry Depot, as the case may be, as above ordered for men claiming Pension or free discharge.

4. The Town Major will be informed from time to time by the Adjutant General of the Army, of the number of men requiring to be furnished with passage.

LIST OF FAMILY REMITTANCES, BONA FIDE SAVINGS &c. TO BE PREPARED AND FORWARDED TO THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL QUARTERLY.

G. O. G. No. 212, 31st May 1859.—Under instructions from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 24th February 1859, The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that agreeably to the provisions laid down in the *G. O. G.* dated the 4th May 1847, No. 103, head “Remittances,” Lists on account of Family remittances, Bonâ fide savings, &c. of Officers and Men of Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces, be prepared and forwarded to the Accountant General *Quarterly*.

2. The place of residence and address of the party in the United Kingdom, to whom the remittance is made, and the degree of his, or her, relationship to the remitter, should always be distinctly specified in the Lists of Commissioned, as well as of Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers, as required by the *G. O. G.* dated 18th September 1850, No. 184.

GROUND FOR PERMITTING A STAFF OFFICER, ABSENT ON MEDICAL CERTIFICATE, TO RETAIN HIS APPOINTMENT FOR ANY PERIOD BEYOND 15 MONTHS.

G. O. G. No. 213. 31st May 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G.* 20th July 1858, No. 275, the following despatch

from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India is published.

Letter dated 21st April 1859, No. 58.

Having considered in Council your despatch, No. 25, dated 11th February 1859, soliciting instructions as to what may be admitted as special grounds for permitting a Staff Officer, absent on medical certificate, to retain his appointment for any period beyond 15 months, I have to express the desire of Her Majesty's Government that this indulgence should be very rarely granted, and only in cases where it is important on public grounds to retain an Officer's services in a particular appointment, or where the distinguished services of an Officer may entitle him to special consideration.

A. O. 30th April 1859.—IV. The following additions are ordered to A. O. No. I dated 15th July 1857, permitting applications to be made for permission to destroy Books after they have been out of use certain periods.

After the word "Ledgers" insert

" Division &c. Order Books.	} Of Troops and Companies <i>only</i> .	} 5 years."
" Regimental Order Books.		
" Miscellaneous Returns.....		

A. O. 2nd May 1859.—I. With reference to para. 84 of A. O. No. 18 of 1855, dated 20th March 1855, (amended by A. Os. No. IV, 19th September 1855, and No. I, 11th November 1858,) the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the Returns of Light Field Batteries be invariably countersigned by the authorities by whom they are passed on to Artillery Head Quarters,—*i. e.* by Commanding Officers of Corps in the case of Batteries serving within the Coast, (or beyond sea if the Head Quarters of the Corps to which they belong is also serving there,) and by Officers Commanding Divisions of Artillery in the case of Batteries serving beyond sea the Head Quarters of whose Corps are not located in the same Division.

A. O. 3rd May 1859.—I. With reference to A. O. No. II of the 25th March 1859, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the Khakee Tunics of the Officers differ from those of the men in the following particulars.

1st. An edging of square cord or gimp, $\frac{1}{8}$ of an inch of thickness, to be carried all round it; and 6 loops terminating in crows feet to be worn across the breast and front, and fastened with flat Buttons of Regimental pattern.

2nd. A plain double cord to be worn on the shoulder,—the cuff of the Tunic to be ornamented (with the same cord) similarly to the cuff of Subaltern's Undress Jackets, by all ranks.

2. Drawings will be circulated as soon as possible.

II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the discontinuance of the "Field Officers' salute" as at present practiced by the Horse Brigade, there being no regulation authorizing its use.

A. O. 7th May 1859.—II. With reference to G. O. G. 8th April 1859 No. 138, directing Mess subscriptions and donations to be recovered by Paymasters from all Officers and remitted to the Treasurer of the Regiment, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that, in substitution of the statement No. 1 referred to in para. 55 of the Artillery Mess Regulations, Commanding Officers will transmit to the Secretary to the General Mess Committee, a Quarterly Return (in the subjoined form) shewing what Officers have been members of Local Messes during the quarter, in order that credit may be given for the proportions* of sub-

scriptions to which the several Messes are entitled; or, should there be no account between any of the Local Messes and

* which remain the same as established in A. O. 4th March 1859.

the General Mess, the amount due will be remitted to Commanding Officers by the Secretary General Mess Committee.

Diameter of Crown..... $8\frac{1}{2}$ inches,
 ,, of Button on crown..... $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches,
 Breadth of scarlet band (cloth sewn on)... $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches.

4. The Peak is to extend over $\frac{2}{3}$ of the circumference of the Cap, to be nearly horizontally placed on, and to be $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches at its broadest point.

5. Regimental, Troop, and Company Staff, and Non-Commissioned Officers, are to wear a cloth Cap of the same dimensions, with Band of lace and scarlet cloth as at present, but $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in breadth only,—the Button on the crown of Regimental, Troop, and Company Staff only to be gold embroidered.

6. Oil skin covers are not to be worn hereafter by Non-Commissioned Officers.—A. O. No. 1 dated 25th August 1843, and para. 18, Section XXXII, head “Necessaries,” page 63, General Regulations of the Artillery, are accordingly cancelled.

A. O. No. 6, 16th May 1859.—I. Numerous instances having occurred of men ordered for discharge arriving at the Mount without any Regimental Kit whatever, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the particular attention of all Commanding Officers to G. O. C. C. 29th November 1836 page 324, which prohibits the disposal of any article, except under special sanction, until men are removed from the service.

2. Commanding Officers are specially directed to warn men against disposing of any portion of their Kit prior to quitting their stations ;—men are frequently detained at the Mount for months before their claims on the service can be adjusted finally, and it is necessary that they be in possession of complete Kits to enable them to perform their duties until placed under the Town Major's orders for discharge.

A. O. 17th May 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery observing that many Officers of the Regiment

have discontinued the use of the Stock, desires it to be understood that the G. O. (No. 63 dated 10th October 1853) abolishing the Stock referred only to the Non-Commissioned and Rank and File, and not to the Commissioned portion of the Corps. The collar of the Dress being however now rounded at the opening, the use of the Stock, recently ordered for the men, becomes absolutely necessary for Officers, and Officers Commanding will see that all under their command wear them on all occasions. They must be of black silk and of sufficient depth to prevent any appearance, above or below them, of under clothing.

II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has perused with unqualified satisfaction a despatch, under date Kente 5th March 1859, from Brigadier P. P. Faddy to General G. C. Whitlock, and published in G. O. G. 3rd May 1859.

2. In the operations against the Rebels described by Brigadier Faddy on the day in question, that Officer brings prominently to notice the admirable manner in which the A. Troop Horse Brigade overcame every difficulty, and brought their Guns over ground which he should have considered impassable for Artillery.

3. The Governor General of India has recorded his thanks to all the Troops engaged, but the Commandant of Artillery desires to add the expression of his admiration of the services of this portion of the Regiment of Madras Artillery, and he begs to tender to Captain R. G. F. Henehan and Lieutenant D. D. Anderson of the A. Troop, and the Non-Commissioned Officers and men under their command, his warmest thanks for their gallantry, zeal, and exertions on the occasion referred to.

4. Brigadier Faddy also speaks of the assistance he received from Captain C. H. Harrison, Brigade Major Artillery, and Lieutenant St. J. C. Shawe, Orderly Officer;—to them also the Commandant offers his thanks for their services.

ARRIVALS.

1859	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
13th Jany.	Captain R. Macpherson,	Europe	Malacca.
— May	Lieut. A. Wynch,	Secunderabad	Madras.
16th May	Captain F. W. Bond,	Tonghoo	„
26th „	2d Capt. G. Dangerfield,	Pegu	St. Thos's Mount.

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
3d May	Lieut. A. P. Bainbridge,	Madras	Bangalore.
11th „	2d Capt. H. W. Lumsden,	St. Thos's Mount.	{ Secunderabad. via, Masulipatam.
„ „	Lieut. W. H. McCausland	„	
12th „	2d Captain J. W. F. Taylor,	Madras	Vizianagram.
24th „	Captain C. H. Hutchinson,	„	Europe.
„ „	„ F. W. Bond,	„	„

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
3d May	Senior Lieut. R. A. Peach.—To be 2d Captain, vice Prior deceased ; date of Commission, 27th April 1859.	
6th „	2d Capt. R. Cadell,—To be Major in the Army, by Brevet, dated 28th August 1858.	
„ „	Lieut. R. A. Baker,—To Officiate as Commandant of the 3rd Company, Artillery, Hyderabad Contingent, vice Lieut. Chamier, appointed to the Command of the 1st Company.	
13th „	Colonel R. C. Moore C. B.—To take rank from 20th June 1857.	
„ „	Lieut. Col. W. M. Gabbett,—To be Colonel by Brevet from 28th November 1857.	
25th „	Lieut. Col. G. Rowlandson.—To take rank from the 14th, instead of the 13th November 1858, in succession to Shirreff promoted to Major General.	
20th „	2d Captain W. J. Bradford, } A. Comy. 3d Battn. Madras Arty. }	Appointed Aide-de-Camp to Major General J. F. Bradford, C. B., Commanding the Meerut Division.

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Names.

To.

- 27th May Colonel G. Balfour C. B.—To take rank from 20th June 1857.
 31st „ Colonel R. C. Moore C. B.—To take rank from 18th Feby. 1856.
 „ „ Colonel G. Balfour C. B.—To take rank from 9th April 1857.
 „ „ Lieut. Col. W. H. Miller, } The promotions published in
 „ „ T. K. Whistler, } Government General Order No.*
 255 of 1859, are cancelled.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859. 2d May	Lieut. W. H. McCausland.	C.	3d	2d Supl.	5th	To join at Vizianagram forthwith.
„ „	„ W. Freeth.....	d. d. Head Qrs. 1st Batn		d d. C. Comy.	2d	{ Will proceed to join at Bangalore in charge of a detail of Artillery, now under orders for that station.
4th „	„ F. H. Thompson..	.....	4th	H. B. Effective.		
7th „	2d Capt. R. A. Peach.....	late promn.		A.	1st	
„ „	Lieut. M. M. Bowie.....	d. d. C. Comy.	{ 2d	D.	2d	To join at Kamptee.
„ „	„ C. W. Brereton.....	d. d.	1st	A.	1st	{ To join at Singapore without delay.
„ „	„ R. Thompson.....	„	5th	2d Supl.	5th	To join at Vizianagram.
12th „	„ F. H. Thompson.....	.....		d d A.	H. B.	To join at Saugor.
17th „	„ E. Troop.....	Secunderabad		Bangalore		
30th „	2d Capt. H. W. Lumsden } 4th Battalion }	.....		A.	4th	
„ „	Lieut. G. H. Trevor.....	dd. C.	2d	C.	3d	{ To join at Kamptee at once, or whenever the season admits.
„ „	„ H. Featherstonhaugh	d. d.	1st	d d. C.	2d	To join at Bangalore.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.

Names.

Where and Remarks.

- 17th May Capt. C. Elliot, Leave extended to the 14th Instant
 Depy. Comr. Nagpore. the date on which he resumed
 charge of the Raepore District.
 „ „ Capt. (Bt. Major) J. L. Barrow—Bombay, *Privilege leave*, from
 Ordnance Department. 1st October to 21st No-
 vember 1857.
 23d „ Capt. (Bt. Major) J. Babington,—Neilgherries s. c., in conti-
 nuation till 15th December 1859.

* Madras G. O. G. 11th March 1859. No. 98.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
31st May	Brigadier W. H. Miller—	Neilgherries s. c., in continuation to 31st December 1859.
" "	Lieut. G. Haggard.	Rangoon, retrospectively from 31st C. Com. 3d Battn. Arty. December 1858 to 4th January 1859.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
6th May	2d Capt. J. W. F. Taylor,—	On medical certificate under the old regulations and to embark from Madras.
" "	Lieutenant J. Stewart,	On Furlough for one year, under the regulations of 1854, ceasing to draw pay from date of embarkation.
17th	" Capt. C. H. Hutchinson, Executive Engr. 3d Class Dept. Public Works.	On medical certificate for 12 months under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Mad- ras, vacating his Staff Appoint- ment from date of embarkation.
20th	" Captain F. W. Bond,—	On medical certificate, under the old regulations.
31st	" Capt. (Bt. Major) J. D. Mein—	On medical certificate for 15 months under the new Furlough Regulations.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.

Lieutenant S. H. E. Chamier—Bolarum.—Creditable progress.

Lieutenant R. Thompson, } Passed the examination prescribed for Of-
 " C. C. Saxton, } ficers of *Companies*.

The moonshee allowance to be disbursed to Lieutenant Chamier.

SERVICES.

1859.

25th May 2d Captain G. Dangerfield, Officiating Deputy Commissioner
of Tonghoo. Services placed at the disposal of the Mad-
ras Government at his own request; and accordingly
placed at the disposal of the Commander in Chief.

ORDER OF THE BATH.

1859.

20th May Lieut. Colonel W. A. Orr.—To be an extra Member of the
Military Division of the 3d Class,
or Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

6th May 1859.

17th March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Jaulnah, directing the issue of the full feed of Chenna to the Horses of the B. Troop Horse Artillery, on account of the long march from which they have just joined.

12th May 1859.

3d March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, directing the full feed of Gram to be drawn for 90 Horses of the D. Troop Horse Artillery from the 1st March to 30th June 1859, inclusive.

23d March 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Centre Division, appointing Lieutenant J. McNeil, Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 1st Battalion Madras Artillery, Staff Officer of Artillery Centre Division, from the 23d March 1859.

7th April 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery, Centre Division, appointing 2d Captain W. H. Lumsden of the 1st Battalion to act as Adjutant of the 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, from the 7th April 1859, during the absence of Lieutenant Forster on sick certificate to Europe or until further orders, also to act as Quarter Master of the 5th Battalion from the same date until the arrival of Lieutenant Watkins, or until further orders.

**RULES UNDER WHICH COMBATANT OFFICERS ARE TO BE
RECOMMENDED FOR PROMOTION IN HER MAJESTY'S
INDIAN MILITARY FORCES.**

G. O. G. No. 222, 3rd June 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 20th May 1859.

No. 740 of 1859.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the publication in General Orders of the following Royal Warrant, received with a letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 119, of the 7th April 1859, prescribing Rules under which Combatant Officers are to be recommended for promotion in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces:—

WHEREAS, We have judged it expedient to revise those parts of Our Royal Warrants of the 6th day of October 1854 and 3d day of November 1854, which regulate the promotion and retirement of Combatant Officers in Our Army and Ordnance Corps, Our will and pleasure is, that from the date of this Our Royal Warrant Our Governor General in Council shall govern himself by these Our rules in recommending Combatant Officers for promotion in Our Indian Military Forces.

PROMOTION.

1. That the rank of Field-Marshal be given without reference to seniority.

2. That there shall be a fixed establishment of General Officers, viz:—

Generals.....	25
Lieutenant-Generals...	50
Major-Generals.....	145

3. That Colonels may be appointed, without regard to seniority, to commands as Major-Generals, with temporary rank; and if they shall have conducted themselves to our satisfaction, such temporary rank, after having been held for five years in peace, or for any shorter period in war, may, upon the recommendation of Our Governor General in

Council, be made permanent. That the temporary rank of General and Lieutenant-General may also be given, whenever the convenience of the Service requires it, and may be made permanent in a similar manner.

4. That every vacancy on the fixed establishment of General Officers shall be filled by the promotion of the Senior Colonel qualified to succeed to the rank of Major General and to be placed on the fixed establishment, under the regulations now in force; or by a supernumerary Major General, as provided in Clause 6.

5. That, in addition to the Colonels promoted by Seniority to be Major Generals, and those promoted after having held temporary rank under the Regulation in Clause 3, Colonels shall be eligible for promotion to the rank of Major-General, and Major-Generals to the rank of Lieutenant-General, and Lieutenant-Generals to the rank of General, for distinguished services in the Field.

In the case of Officers promoted to the rank of General Officers, as a reward for distinguished service in war, the commendation, in which the service of the Officer shall be detailed, shall be published in the General Orders of Our Indian Military Forces, and in the *London Gazette*.

6. That all Colonels promoted to be Major Generals after five years' employment in responsible commands with the temporary rank of Major General under the provisions in Clause 3, and all Colonels promoted to be Major Generals for distinguished service in the Field, shall be placed on a supernumerary list of Major-Generals, and shall not be reckoned as part of the fixed establishment until the time when they would have attained the rank of Major-General by seniority; that is to say, until the Colonel who originally stood next senior on the Colonel's list to the Officer promoted out of his turn has become a Major General, after which the next vacancy will be filled by the transfer of the super-

numery Major General to the fixed establishment. The Major Generals who have already been promoted out of their turn, and would not yet have succeeded to that rank by seniority, shall be considered as coming under this rule.

The Supernumerary Major Generals, when absorbed into the fixed establishment, shall preserve the seniority which they acquired when, after a period of qualifying service with temporary rank they were first confirmed as permanent Major Generals on the Supernumerary list, and shall rise by that seniority to be Lieutenant Generals in succession. General Officers promoted for distinguished service in the field will take their seniority from the date of their promotion, as stated in the *London Gazette*.

7. That three separate lists of General Officers be inserted in the Army List of Our Indian Military Forces, the first containing the names of those on the fixed establishment; the second, those who, having been promoted out of their regular turn, are supernumerary to the fixed establishment; and the third, those who have retired from the service with the honorary rank of General Officers.

8. That the rank of Colonel be given to Officers, after serving for five years with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, in the actual command of Regiments, or for the same period as second Lieutenant Colonels of Regiments, or on the Staff, in the following situations:—viz., Adjutant-General, Quarter-Master General, Deputy Adjutant-General, Deputy Quarter Master General, Secretaries to the Government of India in the Military and Public Works Department, Secretaries in the Military Department to the Governments of Madras and Bombay, to the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, the Commissioner in Mysore, and the Resident at Hyderabad; Judge Advocate General, Commissary General, Deputy Commissary General, Inspector General of Ordnance, Superintendent of the Ordnance Manufacturing Department,

Chief Engineer, Superintending Engineer, Surveyor-General of India, subject always to the approval of the Governor in Council and Commander-in-Chief of the Presidency to which the Officer belongs.

9. That Regimental Majors, who are Brevet Lieutenant-Colonels, falling into the Command of Regiments in the absence of the Lieutenant-Colonel, shall, on attaining the rank of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, reckon the period commencing from the completion of the first month of such temporary command, as part of the five years required to qualify for the rank of Colonel.

10. That the rank of Colonel be given to Officers who obtain the rank of Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel for services in the Field, after eight years of actual service with that rank.

11. That in cases where a Regiment may be so divided as to constitute two distinct commands, and one portion may be under the command of the Regimental Major, who is also a Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, and in cases where a Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel may be in command of a mixed force of different Corps, a discretionary power shall be vested in Our Commander-in-Chief in India, subject to the approval of Our Governor General of India in Council, to allow such service, or portions of such service, to count as part of the qualifying period for promotion to the rank of Colonel.

12. That Lieutenant-Colonels appointed to Civil situations under Government on or after the date this Our Royal Warrant shall be promoted to the rank of Colonel after eight years' service in the former rank, provided the nature of the Civil appointment be considered by Our Governor General of India in Council and Commander-in-Chief in India calculated to give the Officer such practical experience as may afterwards prove advantageous to the Corps or Service to which he belongs.

13. That Field Officers, commissioned as such before the 20th June 1854, be allowed to rise by Brevet as heretofore; but no Officer promoted to the rank of Field Officer on or after that date, is hereafter to rise from the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to that of Colonel, otherwise than by five or eight years' service in the former rank, as provided in Clause 8, or as a reward for distinguished service, or by appointment to be Queen's Aide-de-Camp—except under the special provisions in Clauses, 9, 10, 11, and 12.

14. Lieutenant-Colonels, who held that rank prior to the 20th June 1854, shall be promoted by a special Brevet to the rank of Colonel,—commissions to bear date the 28th November 1854; and such of the said Lieutenant-Colonels as have been passed over by Officers who have attained the rank of Colonel, in conformity with the provisions of Our Royal Warrants of the 6th October and 3d November 1854, shall be restored to the respective places which they would have occupied as Colonels, had they been promoted in ordinary succession under the system of periodical Brevets.

15. That promotions shall be made from Captain to Major, and from Major to Lieutenant-Colonel, in succession, as vacancies occur in the Major-General's fixed establishment.

16. That any Captain, Major, or Lieutenant-Colonel may be rewarded by Brevet promotion for distinguished services in the Field.

17. That the commands of General Officers, and other situations on the Staff, both at home and abroad, shall not be held for more than five years, unless by re-appointment under special circumstances.

Given at our Court at Windsor, this thirty-first day

of January 1859, in the Twenty-second Year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command.
STANLEY.

REVISED INSTRUCTIONS ON THE SUBJECT OF CORRESPONDENCE.

G. O. C. C. No. 59, 4th June 1859.—With reference to

G. O. C. C. 29th April 1858.

No. 48.—The attention of Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces, is again called to G. O. C. C. No. 76 of 23rd October 1854.

1. The prescribed channel of Correspondence in all cases to be observed:

2. All Correspondence to be considered as far as compatible with a clear statement of essential particulars.

3. Whenever Copies of previous Correspondence on any subject are transmitted, a *Summary of the whole case* is notwithstanding to be embodied in the letter to Army Head Quarters.

4. In the event of a renewed application being necessary upon subjects that have been already referred, care to be taken to afford all the information procurable, so that the letter may be complete in itself.

G.O.C.C. as per margin, the Commander-in-Chief finds it necessary again to desire the attention of Officers Commanding Divisions, &c. to the following revised instructions, on the subject of Correspondence.

2. Hitherto it has been the practice in addressing Army Head Quarters to forward numerous enclosures and copies of Correspondence; and these have to be referred to in order to acquire that information on the subject submitted for decision that should have been supplied in full in the letters themselves.

3. In future all facts requisite to be known or arguments proper to be weighed for the due consideration of the subject of a letter are to be therein stated clearly and in full. The letter in fact, is to be complete in itself and to set out all the information that has been furnished to the writer on the subject, all that has been urged by Subordinate Officers and every point necessary to the perfect understanding of the case so that the Commander-in-Chief may have it

thoroughly before him in one paper, on which he can pass his decision without reference to other documents.

4. If necessary previous correspondence on the referred subject may be forwarded *in original*, for reference on minor matters; and will be returned when no longer required.

5. All letters which do not henceforth conform to the above requirements will invariably be returned for revision.

COST OF HELMETS CHARGEABLE TO THE STATE.

G. O. C. C. No. 60, 6th June 1859.—With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 25 dated 15th March last, the Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that Government has sanctioned the charge of Rupees 3 for the Helmet for the mounted branches of the Army: the same to be made of Rattan and with Chin Strap.

2. The cost chargeable to the State for the Helmet for other branches of the service, is not to exceed the average *annual* sum of Rupees 1-12-0.

LIST OF OFFICERS ENTITLED TO COUNT THE TIME PASSED AT THE ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE, ADDISCOMBE.

G. O. G. No. 228, 10th June 1859.—The following Military despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, and the List therein referred to, are published for the information of the Army.

Despatch dated 2nd May 1859, No. 60.

1. In continuation of the letter dated 1st April 1857, No. 47,* a list is herewith forwarded of the Officers of the Madras Army, who, pursuant to the Resolution of the 22nd Novem-

* Published in G. O. G. 19th May 1857. No. 142

ber 1837, are entitled to count the time passed at the Royal Military College, Addiscombe, after they attained the age of 16 years, as so much time passed in India, in calculating their period of service for retirement on Full Pay.

List of Officers entitled to benefit by the Regulation of the 22nd November 1837, as to time passed at the Royal Military College at Addiscombe after attaining the age of 16 years.

Madras Artillery.	Date of joining Military College.	Date of attaining the age of 16.	Date of passing Public Examination.	Time entitled to reckon with the view of retirement on full pay.		
				Yr.	Ms.	Ds.
Marmaduke L. Monckton...	4th Aug. 1834..	27th Jany. 1853.	13th June 1856	1	10	10
John Ford.....	1st do.	20th March 1853.	do.	1	10	12
Alexander Wynch.....	1st Feby. 1855..	1st Aug. 1854.	12th Decr. 1856	1	10	12
William J. Cottam.....	do.	28th July 1853.	do.	1	10	12
Isaac Ketchen.....	1st Aug. 1854..	13th Feb. 1855.	12th June 1857	1	10	11
Anthony P. Bainbridge.....	do.	7th June 1855.	do.	1	10	11
Stapleton Penny.....	do.	8th April 1855.	do.	1	10	11
Henry J. Thornton.....	do.	25th Decr. 1853.	do.	1	10	11
Matravers H. C. B. Steinman	do.	12th April 1855.	do.	1	10	11
Edward T. Ouchterlony.....	21st Feby. 1856..	3rd June 1854.	11th Decr. 1857	1	9	20
James W. Macdougall.....	1st Aug. 1856..	7th Aug. 1856.	11th June 1858	1	10	4
Henry Featherstonhaugh....	do.	21st Novr. 1854.	do.	1	10	20
Charles J. D. A. Straker....	16th March 1857.	12th March 1855.	10th Decr. 1858	1	8	25
William A. Warren.....	3rd Feby. 1857.	8th July 1855.	do.	1	10	7

REGULATING THE PAY AND ALLOWANCES OF THE SEVERAL GRADES OF OFFICERS OF THE ARTILLERY AND ENGINEERS.

G. O. G. No. 239, 17th June 1859.—The Governor in Council directs the publication of the following despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, No. 139, dated 21st April 1859, to the Government of India, approving and confirming the provisions of the General Order of 21st January* last, regulating the pay and allowances of the several grades of Officers of the Artillery and Engineers of the British Army and of the three Armies of India.

* Madras G. O. G. 28th January 1859, No. 47.

India Office, London, 21st April 1859,

Military
No. 139.

*To His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor
General of India in Council.*

MY LORD,—The provisions of the General Order which

Para. 1 of Military Letter dated 22nd January
1859, No. 12.

you caused to be published on the 21st January 1859, regulating the pay and allowances of the several grades of Officers

Correspondence relative to the pay and allowances of Lieutenant-Colonels Second Captains and Lieutenants of the Royal Artillery and Engineers.

and allowances of the several grades of Officers

of the Artillery and Engineers of the British Army and of the three armies of India, are approved and confirmed.

2. The proportions of Lieutenant Colonels of Artillery and Engineers which you have restricted to the pay and allowances of Major, viz. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the former and $\frac{1}{5}$ of the latter though applicable to the established strength of the Bengal Artillery and Bengal Engineers cannot be exactly applied to the Madras and Bombay Corps, the numbers on their establishments not suiting the proportions above mentioned.

3. The numbers of Lieutenant Colonels drawing respectively the allowances of Lieutenant Colonel and Major will be as follows.

Artillery (proportion ordered 3 out of 4.)

	No. of Lieutenant Colonels	on pay of Lieutenant Colonels	on pay of Major.
Bengal	24	18	6
Madras	14	11	3
Bombay	10	8	2

Engineers (proportion ordered 4 out of 5.)

	No. of Lieutenant Colonels	on pay of Lieutenant Colonels	on pay of Major.
Bengal	10	8	2
Madras	6	5	1
Bombay	6	5	

The proportions of Lieutenants restricted to the pay and allowances of 2d Lieutenant, viz. 1 out of 3 can be applied exactly to the Engineers of all the Presidencies, but as regards the Artillery the proportions will be as follows.

Bengal Artillery.

of 168 Lieutenants.

56 will be on the allowances of 2d Lieutenant.

Madras Artillery.

of 98 Lieutenants.

33 will draw 2d Lieutenants allowance.

Bombay Artillery.

of 70 Lieutenants.

23 will draw 2d Lieutenants allowance.

SERJEANTS EMPLOYED IN THE COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT, IF ORIGINALLY ARTILLERY SOLDIERS TO BE PAID AT THE ARTILLERY, RATES.

G. O. G. No. 257, 28th June 1859.—His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to extend to all Serjeants permanently employed in the Commissariat Department, if originally Artillery Soldiers or enlisted for the Artillery, the provisions of *G. O. G. 2d June 1857, No. 162*, according to which they will be paid, at the Artillery, instead of the Infantry rate, the difference being deducted from their staff pay.

2. The widows of the Serjeants above mentioned, will be entitled to Pensions as the widows of Serjeants of Artillery,

3. The first clause of para 2, page 364, of the Code of Pay and Audit Regulations, will, in future, apply only to Commissariat Serjeants who were Infantry Soldiers, or enlisted for the Infantry.

A. O. 7th June 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, with reference to *A. O. dated 10th November 1858*, (directing the 1st July 1859 to be the date on which the Regiment should be provided with Khakee Clothing,) is pleased to extend the period therein referred to, to such

Troops and Companies as may not already be provided with it, until the season for wearing light Clothing of 1860.

A. O. No. 7, 27th June 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to notify that His Excellency the Commander in Chief has decided that, in the absence of any Regimental Riding Master, and in consequence of no Rough Rider being allowed to a Horse Battery, the individual to whom the Officer Commanding may assign the duties of instructing Officers in Riding, and breaking in chargers, is the person to whom the Fees authorized in the G.

* G. O. G. No. 420, 3d November 1858.
G. O. C. No. 46 (para. III) 9th May 1859.

Os. marginally* indicated should be paid.

A. O. No. 8, 29th June 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified that Government have, under date the 15th instant, sanctioned the adoption into the European portion of the Regiment of Madras Artillery, of the Carbine Exercise at present in use with the Royal Artillery.

2. Books of instruction will be circulated when received from Army Head Quarters; but as some time is expected to elapse before they are received, Officers Commanding are recommended to make their own arrangements for supplying those required.

ARRIVALS.

1859	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
6th June	Captain A. Stewart,	Rangoon	Madras.
15th "	Genl. Cadet C. D. A. Straker,	Europe	"
30th "	2nd Capt. N. G. Campbell,	Neilgherries	"

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
13th June	2nd Captain F. Cobbe,	Madras	Hyderabad.
14th "	Lieut. H. Featherstonhaugh,	St. Thos' Mount	Bangalore.
16th "	" W. R. C. Brough,	"	"
18th "	" C. W. Brereton,	"	Singapore.
18th "	" R. Thompson,	"	Vizianagram.
29th "	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) G. Balfour, C. B.	Madras	Bombay.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	Names.	To.
3rd June 2d	Captain F. Cobbe, 2d Class Executive Engineer, late of the Mhow Division.	Appointed Executive Engineer in the Hyderabad Department of Public Works and posted to the Secunderabad Division.
10th „	Lieut Col. G. W. Y. Simpson,—	To be Principal Commissary of Ordnance, vice Brigadier Hamond appointed Commandant of Artillery,—to take effect from 22nd March 1859.
„ „	Lt. Col. G. W. Y. Simpson, Principal Commissary of Ordnance.	To act as Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, during the absence of Col. Balfour, C. B. on special duty, or until further orders.
„ „	Bt. Major J. L. Barrow, on Field Service.	To act as Principal Commissary of Ordnance, during the employment of Colonel Simpson on other duty, or until further orders—To join as soon as his services can be made available.
„ „	Captain W. C. L. Baker,	To act as Principal Commissary of Ordnance.
21st „	Gent. Cadet. Mr. C. D. A. Straker,—	Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859. 8th June	Lieut. W. F. Grey.....	.....	3d Battalion.	Do duty Horse Brigade.		By G. O. C. C. 17th June 1859, will continue to be borne on the strength of the 3d Battalion Artillery until further orders.
14th „	Capt. C. D. Waddell.....	D.	2d	D.	4th	{ To join at Kamptee when the season admits. To join at Thayetmyoo. Posted to the Arsenal of Fort Saint George.
	Lieut. F. H. Thompson.....	d.d.A.	H. B.	d.d.D.	H. B.	
	„ H. W. Hastings.....	d.d.C.	2d	C.	3d	
	„ W. E. Lockhart.....	d.d.C.	2d	B.	1st	
15th „	Capt. A. Stewart, Commissary of Ordnance.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
3rd June 2d	Capt. G. Dangerfield, Depy. Commr. at Tonghoo.	} Privilege leave from 29th March to 10th May 1859.
3rd „	Lt. Col. W. A. Orr, C. B.—Bombay,	
		for six weeks on medical certificate from date of quitting Hingolee, for the purpose of obtain- ing a final Certificate to Europe, under the new Regulations.
7th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. D. Mein,—Bombay	from 26th April 1859, preparatory to applying for leave of absence on Sick Cer- tificate to Europe, under the new Regulations.
7th „	Lieut. C. H. A. Gower,—Neilgherries, S. C.	from 21st May to 30th November 1859.
10th „	„ E. S. Milman—Bombay	on medical certificate under the regulations of 1854, for the purpose of obtaining a final medical certificate to enable him to proceed to Europe.
24th „	2d Capt. N. G. Campbell—Madras	for two months, preparatory to applying for leave to proceed to Europe.
30th „	2d Captain L. Bridge—Calcutta	to appear before a Medical Board, from 5th April to 5th June.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
14th June	Lieut. Col. W. A. Orr, C. B.—	On Furlough for eighteen months on medical certificate, under the new furlough Regu- lations.
24th „	Captain R. G. H. Grant—	Leave extended for 6 months.

SERVICES.

1859.	
7th June	Lieutenant W. F. Grey.—Services placed at the disposal of the Commander in Chief:—his resignation of appointment as Officiating Assistant Magistrate at Rangoon having been accepted by the Governor General in Council.

1859.

24th June Lieutenant G. F. Blair,—Services replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, for Regimental duty from the 16th ultimo.

ORDERS CONFIRMED,

26th May 1859.

5th April 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Field Detachment Saugor Division, appointing Major Kinkead A. Company 4th Battalion Artillery to Command of Division of Madras Artillery, vice Major Mein appointed to Command of Artillery Brigade from 1st April 1859.

3rd June 1859.

13th April 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, authorizing the full feed of Gram being issued to the Horses of the $\frac{1}{2}$ E. Troop Madras Horse Artillery with retrospective effect from the 22nd March 1859.

1st May 1859.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing Lieutenant J. W. Watkins without prejudice to his appointment of Quarter Master to act as Adjutant of the 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, from the 2d May 1859, until the arrival of 2d Captain J. M. Macintyre, vice Lieutenant and Adjutant W. D. Forster absent on medical certificate.

14th June 1859.

9th December 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery in the Straits, directing Lieutenant J. W. Watkins, Quarter Master and Interpreter of the 5th Battalion Artillery to continue to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of Artillery in the Straits, until the arrival of 2nd Captain J. Blair.

30th June 1859.

30th April 1859.—Saugor Artillery Division Order dated the 14 ultimo, appointing Lieutenant F. H. Thompson, B. Company 4th Battalion Madras Artillery, to be Adjutant to the Division, as a special case.

LISTS OF REMITTANCES TO ENGLAND TO BE PREPARED MONTHLY.

G. O. G. No. 266, 1st July 1859.—The General Order of Government, dated 31st May 1859, No. 212, on the subject of Remittances to England, is hereby amended.

2. The Lists therein referred to are to be prepared and forwarded, *punctually*, to the Accountant General, not quarterly but *monthly*.

OFFICERS OF REGIMENTS AND DEPOTS TO GO THROUGH THE JUDGING DISTANCE—DRILLS AND PRACTICES, ONCE EVERY YEAR.

G. O. C. C. No. 64, 29th June.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Commander in Chief in India, dated Head Quarters Simla, 31st May 1859, is republished.

“The Right Honorable the Commander in Chief is pleased
“to direct the publication in Army General Orders of the
“following Circular Memorandum from the Horse Guards,
“No. 157, dated 7th March last, which is to be held to apply
“also to Her M.’s Indian Forces:—

“The General Commanding in Chief desires that the Offi-
“cers of Regiments and Depots go through the Judging
“Distance—Drills and Practices, once every year, either
“with their companies, or in squads by themselves, as may be
“found most convenient.

“The names of the three best Judges of distances among
“the Officers of each battalion, and the number of “points”
“obtained by them, respectively, are to be specified in the
“Annual Return rendered at the conclusion of the course.”

BLANKETS IN USE WITH EUROPEAN TROOPS LANDED FROM ENGLAND TO BE INSPECTED BY A COMMITTEE ON ARRIVAL AT STATIONS.

G. O. G. No. 287, 15th July 1859—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 100*, dated 16th March 1858, the Honorable

the Governor in Council directs that Blankets in use with European Troops landing from England be inspected by a Committee on their arrival at their respective Stations, and a report of the period they are calculated to last, and when they will be required to be replaced by a fresh issue, forwarded direct to the Commissary General.

2. Indents for new Blankets should invariably be countersigned by Officers Commanding Corps, Detachments &c., and should bear reference to the date and number of the Blankets as noted in the Committee's report.

NO OFFICER WILL BE APPOINTED TO ANY SITUATION ON THE STAFF &c. WHO HAS NOT PASSED THE PRESCRIBED EXAMINATION IN THE NATIVE LANGUAGES.

G. O. G. No. 288, 15th July 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 19th May 1859.

No. 734 of 1859.—Under the exigencies of the service during the last two years, many Officers have been made available for employment on the Staff and in various situations, who have not passed the Examinations in the Native languages, laid down by General Order by the Governor General of the 25th June 1850; but tranquility having now been generally restored, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to announce that the provisions of that order will in future be strictly enforced, and no Officer will hereafter be appointed to any situation on the Staff, or to any Civil or other detached employment, who has not passed the prescribed examination.

Every Officer who has been removed from his Regiment for Staff, Civil, or other employment, who has not already passed

the prescribed examination, or shall not pass it within six months from the date of this order, will be remanded to his Corps.

REGIMENTAL OFFICERS TO PROVIDE THEMSELVES WITH A LIGHT FELT OR WICKER HELMET.

G. O. C. C. No. 68, 20th July 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs that all Regimental Officers of the Army provide themselves with a light Felt or Wicker Helmet of the description established for Staff Officers by G. O. C. C. No. 49, dated 11th May 1859. The Helmet is to be worn on all duties upon which the Forage Cap covered is at present worn.

INCORPORATION OF THE COMPANY OF GUN LASCARS RAISED FOR THE SERVICE OF THE ROYAL ARTILLERY WITH THE PERMANENT GUN LASCAR ESTABLISHMENT OF THE MADRAS ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 69, 21st July 1859.—Under instructions from Government the Commander in Chief directs that the separate Company of Gun Lascars which was raised for the

Service of the Royal Artillery under* G. O. C. C. No. 65, dated 24th October 1857, be incorporated with the permanent Gun Lascar establishment of the Madras Artillery from the 31st Instant: and that the strength of existing Companies of Gun Lascars be increased in Non-Commissioned Officers, Gun Lascars and Bheasties, to such extent as will admit of the necessary details being detached therefrom for the Service of the Royal Artillery serving in this Presidency.

* Subsequently exchanged for the C. Company of Gun Lascars by G. O. C. C. No. 19, dated 20th February 1858.

2. The Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the abolished Company of Gun Lascars will be drafted into other Companies by the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, the two Native Officers being retained as Supernumeraries until absorbed by Casualties, and the same number of Havildars in the mean time kept wanting to complete.

3. The Establishment of each of the 8 Companies of Gun Lascars now attached to the Four European Battalions of the

- 1 Subadar.
- 1 Jemadar.
- 5 Havildars.
- 70 Gun Lascars, with
- 5 Bheasties to each
- 2 Companies of
- Gun Lascars.

Madras Artillery will hereafter be as per margin ; * a detail of two Havildars, 20 Gun Lascars and 1 Bheasty being furnished by each Battalion for duty with the Royal Artillery—these details will be

returned "on Command doing duty with No.—Company —Battalion Royal Artillery," The establishment of Gun Lascars for the Golundauze Battalion, will remain as at present.

4. To give effect to the foregoing the following removals of Gun Lascars are ordered.

A detail of	From.	To.	Remarks.
1 Havildar 10 Gun Lascars.	No. 1 Field Battery Royal Artillery—Mount (Capt. Desborough's.)	No. 6 Compy. 9th Battn. Royal Artillery Secunderabad, (Captain Wright's.)	The men composing this detail will be borne on the strength of the 3d Battn. Madras Artillery.
1 Havildar 10 Gun Lascars.	No. 9 Field Battery Royal Artillery—Secunderabad (Major Godby's.)		
1 Havildar 10 Gun Lascars.	A. Company 4th Battalion Madras Artillery Saugor Division.	No. 8 Field Battery Royal Artillery Saugor Division, (Captain Pasley's.)	The men of this detail will continue to be borne on the strength of the 4th Battalion Madras Artillery.
1 Havildar 10 Gun Lascars.	B. Company 4th Battalion Madras Artillery Saugor Division.		

5. The Jemadar, 1 Havildar, 20 Gun Lascars and 1 Bheasty that will remain with Captain Desborough's Battery

- 1 Subadar.
- 1 Havildar.
- 20 Gun Lascars.
- 1 Bheasty.

will be borne on the strength of the 1st Battalion ; and the *detail with Major Godby's Battery on the strength of the 2nd Battalion

Madras Artillery.

6. The vacancies for Bheasties in the Gun Lascar details attached to Captains Wright's and Pasley's Batteries will be filled up by enlistment, Registers of the men enlisted being forwarded to the Brigadier Commandant Madras Artillery.

REGULATING THE DATE OF OFFICERS RETIRING IN ENGLAND AND OF PROMOTIONS IN SUCCESSION TO CASUALTIES BY DEATH IN ENGLAND.

G. O. G. No. 298, 26th July 1859.—The following Ge-

neral Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 8th July 1859.

No. 993 of 1859.—Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the following is substituted for Government General Order* No. 106, of the 30th May 1836:—

Officers retiring in England from the Service shall be considered to have retired from the date of their application for leave to retire, or from the expiration of two years and a half, from the date of the commencement of their Furlough, whichever shall first happen.

Promotions in succession to casualties, by death in England, shall have effect from the date of decease, or from the expiration of three years' absence from India, whichever shall happen first.

A. O. 1st July 1859.—IV It having been brought to the notice of the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery that, on a late occasion of a disturbance in one of the Troops of the Horse Artillery, there was no Officer of the day present at Roll calling, as is directed by Section LXI General Regulations of the Artillery when there are two Subalterns, and though there were that number with the Troop at the time in question the Officer on duty was only required to attend once in the day, the Brigadier much regrets having to notice such remissness in the Madras Artillery, and the more so as it is shewn, by the admission of the Officer Commanding the Troop, to have been the sole cause of the disturbance, as he states "that had an Officer been present not a word would have been said, or any disturbance have occurred."

* Vide Madras G. O. G. 13th May 1836, No. 105.

2. The Brigadier now calls the attention of Officers to the necessity of strictly carrying out all orders, and he trusts he shall not again have to complain of similar neglect.

A. O. 4th July 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has on several occasions had brought under his notice that great laxity of discipline, and a want of system and arrangement, exist on occasions of parties arriving at Madras from Sea, and afterwards on their coming up to the Mount;—men are allowed to come up singly in carts or in any manner they choose, notwithstanding that there have often been Non-Commissioned Officers with them whose duty it is, on all occasions, to see that order and regularity are maintained by any portion of the Regiment with which they may happen to be;—great irregularities have occurred, and on a late occasion one man was allowed to absent himself from the detachment, and for an offence committed by him, he has been awarded the disgraceful punishment of imprisonment with hard labour by Civil authority;—this could not have happened had those in charge of the party done their duty properly, and it is a state of things reflecting most discreditably on the Regiment, and which must be put a stop to.

2. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery therefore directs that whenever a party of men is sent on board ship, the senior Non-Commissioned Officer or other is to be, or is to consider himself as, placed regularly in charge of it, should there be no Officer of the Corps present; and that as regards all matters of discipline, his responsibility will not cease until he has given over charge on shore to the proper Regimental authority, whether at the Mount or elsewhere.

3. Every Non-Commissioned Officer of the Regiment, Horse or Foot, must distinctly understand that, in the absence of any Officer of the Regiment, and if he be the senior Non-Commissioned Officer of any party, he will be held responsible for all occurrences taking place in it, and that it

is his duty to assume charge and march it regularly to its destination, or as far as he may proceed on the same route with it, and that he is on no account to leave the party without regularly giving over charge to the next senior.

4. A copy of paras. 2 and 3 of this order is invariably to be given to *every* Non-Commissioned Officer of any party proceeding by Sea, whether he be in charge or not; and they are to be required to give it up to the Regimental authorities when they arrive at their destination.

A. O. 12th July 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has had under his consideration a report by an Officer Commanding a Company, through the Battalion Commanding Officer, that, owing to a due want of supervision of the clerk on the part of an Officer previously in command, a Gunner was about to be debarred admittance to Good Conduct Pay for several months;—such remissness is highly reprehensible.

2. The Commandant, from circumstances which have come to light in connection with this matter, cannot but infer that the instructions contained in Section 84, paras. 22, 23, and 24, of the Artillery General Regulations, are not properly carried out; and further that the exact wording of the different kinds of punishments which are awardable without a Court Martial is not attended to.—The attention of Officers Commanding, in their monthly inspections of Books, is particularly called to these points.

II. With reference to A. O. 23d January 1858 No. 2, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, under instructions from Army Head Quarters, is pleased to direct that a duplicate of any representations respecting clothing addressed to Officers Commanding Corps, be sent direct to the Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, so that all authorities may be in possession of full information on the points at issue, and delay and inconvenience thereby be obviated.

A. O. 14th July 1859.—I. With the approval of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and consequent on the movements ordered in G. O. G. of the 5th instant, the C. Company 4th Battalion will become a reserve Company from the date of its departure from Secunderabad, and the B. Company 2d Battalion (at present in reserve) will, on arrival at that station, be attached to No. 10 Light Field Battery.

2. As the present strength of the A. Company 2d Battalion will not admit of its manning and driving the Battery (No. 4) of 6 Guns at Tonghoo, to which it is about to be attached, one Officer and a division of men* from the reserve Company at that station (C. Company 4th Battalion) will also be temporarily attached for duty with the Battery until further orders.

• 2 Serjeants. 2 Corporals. 2 Bombardiers. 20 Gunners.

men* from the reserve Company at that station (C. Company 4th Battalion)

A. O. 26th July 1859.—III. With reference to the concluding para. but one of the G. O. G. G. 20th June 1859 No. 883, (republished in Madras G. O. G. No. 273 of the 8th instant) and to ensure uniformity throughout the Regiment, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the decision of men who elect to remain in the service be recorded, at the foot of the first page of each Register, in the Registers of Corps, Troops, and Companies, in the following manner.

“ Made his election to continue to serve Her Majesty on
(here enter date of assembly of Committee.)”

—————2d Captain }
Adjutant—Battalion M. Artillery.

or

Commanding—Company—Battalion Madras Artillery.

or

Head of Department.

A. O. 27th July 1859.—II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that the Officer in charge of details of Artillery at the Mount furnish Commanding Officers of Corps with the following documents on the 1st of each month.

I. A Nominal roll (in the subjoined form) of all arrivals, departures, and casualties in the preceding month.

II. An extract from the Defaulter book of all men who may have been made Troop or Company and Regimental defaulters during the preceding month.

2. Document No. 11 need not be furnished when there have been no defaulters, but in that case a note must invariably be inserted at the foot of the Nominal roll in the manner shewn in the form.

3. Under the foregoing arrangement it will not be necessary hereafter for the Officer in charge of details at the Mount to report casualties, arrivals, or departures of men as they occur to Commanding Officers of Corps, or to furnish extracts from the Defaulter book on the final removal of men from under his orders.

Nominal roll of arrivals, departures, and casualties among the men of the Horse Brigade Madras Artillery doing duty at the Mount, during the month of July 1859.

General Nos.	Rank and Names.	Decased.	Arrived from	Departed to	Date of casualty, arrival, or departure.	Remarks.
384	Serjeant George Brown.....	1	Jaulnah	1st July 1859.	Of Cholera
504	Corporal James Cooke.....	1	.....	.....	3d " "
310	Gunner Alexander Smith.....	.....	Bangalore	.....	8th " "
810	" Charles Johnson.....	Kamptee	17th " "	Of Hepatitis.
531	" John Sullivan.....	1	.....	.....	18th " "
376	" Frederick Dawson.....	.....	.....	Madras under Town Major's orders.	29th " "
1340	" John Arthurs.....	Jaulnah	29th " "
1016	" Patrick Mahony.....	.....	Jaulnah	.....	30th " "
1189	" Michael McGrath.....	.....	Saugor	.....	30th " "
1203	" John Desmond.....	General Hospital Madras	30th " "

N. B.—None of the men of the Horse Brigade have had their names recorded in the Defaulters book during July 1859.

—————Lieutenant }
In charge Details Horse Brigade. }

SAINT THOMAS' MOUNT, }
1st August 1859. }
—————Lieutenant Colonel, }
Commanding 1st Battalion and Details }
Madras Artillery at the Mount. }

ARRIVALS.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At</i>
8th July	Lieut. H. W. Hastings,	Bangalore	Madras
8th „	„ W. E. Lockhart,	„	„
10th „	„ Captain F. G. Nuthall,	Europe	„
11th „	„ Lieut. H. G. Thomson,	Bangalore	„
12th „	„ 2d Capt. J. M. Macintyre,	Vizianagram	St. Thos's Mount.
22d „	„ Captain S. Rippon,	Europe	Madras
23d „	„ Capt. (Bt. Maj.) J. L. Barrow,	Saugor	„

DEPARTURES.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
3d May	2d Capt. L. Bridge,	Calcutta	Europe.
9th July	„ N. G. Campbell,	Madras	„
27th July	Captain F. G. Nuthall,	Madras	Secunderabad.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
1st July	Lieutenant H. G. Thomson, Aid-de-Camp to Lieutenant General Beresford, Commanding Mysore Division.	To act as 2d Assistant Adjutant General of the Army, during the employment of Captain Gage, on other duty or until further orders.
12th „	Lieutenant W. F. Grey—	Appointed an Assistant Commissioner at Henzada, with effect from the 1st March 1858.
19th „	Senior Lieutenant H. D. Gloag—	To be 2d Captain, vice Taylor struck off the strength of the Army; date of Commission, 11th July 1859.

Memo.—The death of Captain (Brevet Major) H. T. M. Berdmore of the Artillery on the 30th May 1859, absorbs Supernumerary Captain George Beresford Brydges Holmes, into the Establishment of that Regiment.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859.						
5th July.	C. Company 4th Battn...	Secunderabad.		Burmah.		To embark from Masulipatam. } The whole to move without Guns, Horses or Bullocks. To embark at Negapatam. } To be landed at Masulipatam. To be landed at Madras.
	A. " 2nd " ..	Trichinopoly.		do.		
	C. " 2nd " ..	Bangalore.		Trichinopoly.		
	B. " 2nd " ..	Burmah.		Secunderabad.		
	B. " 3rd " ..	Burmah.		Bangalore.		
	Lieut. H. F. Pritchard C. Company 4th Battn.	.....	.....	.....	.....	Appointed to do duty with the D. Company 4th Battalion to proceed forthwith to Masulipatam, for embarkation to Rangoon.
15th "	Lieut. W. F. Grey 3rd Battn. Arty. doing duty with the Horse Brigade.	.....	.....	.....	.....
16th "	Capt. H. T. Molesworth.	C.	2nd	B.	2nd	Will join the Head Quarters of the Brigade at Bangalore.
						To take charge of the horses of No. 10 Light Field Battery, on being relieved from the command of the E. Troop Horse Brigade and to do duty at Secunderabad until the arrival at that Station of the B. Company 2d Battalion Artillery.
21st "	2d Capt. L. F. C. Thomas.	C.	3rd	D.	4th	Staff duty. To join at Kamptee when relieved from his appointment of Acting Commissary of Ordnance "Saugor." To proceed with C. Company 4th Battalion to Rangoon and join at Thayetmew from thence.
	Capt. T. H. Campbell....	D.	3rd	B.	4th	
	" H. E. Hicks.....	B.	4th	D.	3rd	
	2d Capt. A. C. Jones....	C.	4th	C.	3rd	
	Lieut. P. St. G. Græme..	D.	2nd	B.	4th	To await arrival of Company at Secunderabad.
	" K. J. L. Mackenzie.	C.	4th	B.	2nd	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859. *Names.* *Where and Remarks.*

8th July Lieut. Col. E. Brice,—The unexpired portion of the leave of absence on medical certificate granted in G. O. C. C. dated 30th July 1858, is cancelled from the date on which he may join his Corps.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859 *Names.* *Remarks.*

1st July 2d Capt. N. G. Campbell.—On Furlough under the old regulations.

1st " Lieutenant E. S. Milman.—On medical certificate for eighteen months, under the new Furlough Regulations.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.

20th July Lieutenant R. T. Hamond, } Passed the examination pre-
" J. Ketchen, } scribed for Officers of Companies.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

5th July 1859.

25th April 1859.—By the Officer Commanding 4th Battalion Madras Artillery and Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, appointing Captain C. M. J. Thornton to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the 4th Battalion Madras Artillery and Staff Officer Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force as a temporary measure, without prejudice to his Regimental duties, during the indisposition of Captain G. B. Prior.

8th July 1859.

11th May 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, directing the full feed of Gram to be issued to the Horses of No. 11, Horse Field Battery during the remainder of the hot season.

23d May 1859.—By the same, directing the full feed of Gram to be issued to the remainder of the Horses of the D. Troop Horse Artillery, during the remainder of the hot season.

DEATH.

At Shuaygheen on the 30th May 1859, Captain (Brevet Major) H. T. M. Berdmore Artillery.

Major H. T. M. Berdmore was a Cadet of 1829 and arrived in India 10th January 1831.—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 11th June 1830; as 1st Lieutenant 4th October 1839; as Captain in the Army 11th June 1845; as Captain in the Regiment 1st April 1854, and as Major in the Army 10th February 1856.

Passed as Interpreter in Hindoostanee, G. O. C. C. 28th November 1834.—

Commanded the Artillery in the Tennesserim Provinces from 4th May to 1st October 1840, and Staff Officer of Artillery Tenasserim Provinces from 4th May 1840, to 13th October 1841;—Was Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 1st

Battalion Artillery from 16th January to 7th July 1845, and Adjutant and Quarter Master 4th Battalion Artillery from 8th July 1845 to 12th January 1847.

Was Assistant Commissioner Tenasserim Provinces from 22d December 1846 to 30th December 1852, and Deputy Commissioner in the Provinces of Martaban from 30th December 1852 to 30th May 1859, the date of his decease as 17th Captain.

FORMATION OF A RECRUIT DEPOT FOR THE ARTILLERY AT SAINT THOMAS' MOUNT.

G. O. C. C. No. 74, 6th August 1859.—With the sanction of Government the Commander in Chief directs the formation of a Recruit Depot for the Artillery at Saint Thomas' Mount with the following Establishment.

1 Commandant—Command Allowance Rupees 400 per mensem

1 Adjutant—Staff Pay Rupees 257 per mensem.

1 Quarter Master—Staff Pay Rupees 85 per mensem.

1 Riding Master.

1 Serjeant Major.

1 Quarter Master Serjeant.

1 Provost Serjeant.

1 Orderly Room Clerk (Serjeant.)

1 Pay Serjeant.

The Drill Serjeants } From the Battalions
and Drill Corporals. } of European Arty.

4 Rough Riders.

1 Bugler or Trumpeter.

1 Tindal.

3 Lascars.

100 Horses.

66 Horse Keepers.

100 Grass Cutters.

CANCELLING BACK RANK OF THE LIEUT. COLONELS AND LIEUTENANTS PROMOTED ON THE REORGANIZATION OF THE REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

G. O. G. No. 323, 16th August 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 23d July 1859.

No. 1070 of 1859.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the follow-

ing Extract, paragraphs 1 to 4, from a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, No. 199, dated 14th June 1859:—

1. In reference to the Despatch now under reply, I have re-considered in Council the previous correspondence on the subject of inconveniences which have arisen from the operation of that part of the measure ordered by the late Court of Directors, for altering the organization of the Artillery and Engineer Corps, by which the Commissions of the Majors of those Regiments, who were made Lieutenant-Colonels as well as those of existing Lieutenant-Colonels were antedated to the dates respectively on which they originally became Majors.

2. By my Despatch No. 97, dated 24th March 1859, you were informed that the special consideration of the adjustment of rank in the Artillery and Engineer Corps would be deferred until the full effects of the application to Her Majesty's Indian Forces of the Royal Warrant of the 14th October 1858, shall have been reported.

3. In consideration, however, of your further communications on this subject and of your strong* recommendation coinciding with that of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that a remedy should be provided for these inconveniences and for the general supercession of Officers of Cavalry and Infantry of the three Presidencies, which has been occasioned by the antedating of the Commissions of Majors and Lieutenant-Colonels, when introducing the recent changes in the organization of the Artillery and Engineer Corps, Her Majesty's Government have determined to cancel the back rank given, under the orders of the late Court of Directors, dated 8th July 1858, No. 183, to the Lieutenant-Colonels of Artillery and Engineers of the three

* "As a remedy, and the only one which in our opinion will be effectual, we strongly recommend that as suggested by the Commander-in-Chief, the back rank given to the Lieutenant-Colonels of Artillery and Engineers and to the Lieutenants of those Corps be cancelled."

Presidencies, and to the Lieutenants of those Corps, respectively, and to direct that, following the rule which was adopted when the rank of Major was abolished in the Royal Artillery, their promotion shall take effect only from the date of the new organization coming into operation.

4. You are accordingly authorized to carry this decision into immediate effect.

With reference to the authority conveyed in the above communication, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the rank assigned to the several Lieutenant-Colonels, and Lieutenants of Artillery and Engineers at the three Presidencies, under the operation of the Government General Order No. 1238, of the 27th August 1858,* shall be considered as cancelled, and that the Commissions of the several Lieutenant-Colonels and Lieutenants promoted in consequence of the abolition of the grades of Major and 2nd Lieutenant, shall bear date the 27th August 1858.

PRECISE NATURE OF DEPOSITS TO BE SPECIFIED IN STATEMENTS OF DEPOSITS FORWARDED TO THE TOWN MAJOR ON ACCOUNT OF ARREARS OF PAY &c. DUE TO INVALID SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 329, 19th August 1859.—In view to placing the Home Authorities in possession of explicit information, to reply to enquiries which are constantly made at the India House by Discharged and Pensioned Soldiers, which information is not now given in the Deposit Lists sent to England; The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that Officers Commanding Corps and Detachments, in forwarding to the Town Major, Statements of Deposits on account of Arrears of Pay, Compensation for Clothing &c., due to Invalid Soldiers, Time expired men, Pensioners &c. of Her Majesty's Indian Army placed under the orders of that Officer for embarkation to England, will in future,

* Madras G. O. G. 14th September 1858, No. 355.

invariably specify the precise nature of each Deposit—i. e. whether it is on account of Arrears of Pay, Passage Money, Donation, Compensation for Clothing, &c. No delay should be allowed to take place in the transmission of the Statements in question to the Town Major.

PRIVILEGE LEAVE TO MILITARY OFFICERS IN CIVIL EMPLOY.

G. O. G. No. 330, 19th August 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 2nd August 1859.

No. 1099 of 1859.—The following Notification, from the Financial Department, is published in General Orders:—

No. 63.

EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, IN THE FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT, DATED 12TH JULY 1859.

Extract from a Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 45 of 1859, dated the 19th May.

Letter dated 18th January 1859, No. 6.

Transmit, in continuation of Despatch, dated 29th December 1858, No. 30, copy of an Office Memo., requesting further information in regard to privilege leave to Military Officers in Civil employ.

PARA. 7. As stated in paragraph 8 of my Despatch in this Department, dated the 21st April 1859,

No. 33, you had rightly decided that the admission of Military Officers holding Civil appointments, to “the indulgence of three months’ cumulative leave after thirty-three months’ continuous service,” had reference only to the period for which leave might be granted, and not to the allowances of the absentee. This rule must be adhered to.

8. The full period of three months’ absence may, however, count as service for Pension, but if an extension of leave be applied for by a Military Officer, who has taken

privilege leave under the Civil Rules, it must be subject to the Military Rules in regard to reduction of salary after the first two months' absence.

ORDERED, that a copy of the above paragraphs be forwarded to the Public Works Department, with reference to the order from this Department, No. 255, dated the 18th January last.

* Foreign, Military and Home Departments.
† Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and the Eastern Settlements.

‡ Chief Commissioner, Oudh; Commissioners, Pegu, Nagpore, and the Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces; Civil Auditors at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab.

Ordered also, that a copy be forwarded, respectively to the Departments.* Subordinate Governments,† and Authorities,‡ noted in the margin,

for information and guidance; and that a transcript be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

RULES TO REGULATE THE DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZE BOOKS IN ARMY SCHOOLS.

G. O. C. C. No. 81, 31st August 1859.—Government having sanctioned a sum not exceeding 50 Rupees being drawn half yearly on Contingent Bills for the purchase of Prize Books under para. 63 of the Army School Regulations, the Commander in Chief directs the publication of the following rules to regulate their distribution.

1. Prizes shall be distributed half yearly and the award shall depend partly on the result of the half yearly Examination, and partly on the marks obtained by the Pupils during the preceding half year.

2. The position of each Pupil in the Class shall be ascertained at the end of each lesson, the number of marks obtained at each lesson being added together weekly, the weekly number being again added at the end of each month, and the monthly number at the end of the half year, or at the time of the distribution of prizes.

3. In assigning marks at the end of each lesson the Pupils will be numbered commencing from the bottom of

the Class ; so that in a Class of 20 Pupils, the Pupil at the head of the Class will receive 20 marks at the end of the lesson.

4. When determining the award of Prizes, the half year's marks will be reckoned so as to place them nearly on a level with the marks assignable for the half yearly Examination itself—For instance, suppose the highest number of marks which a Pupil could have obtained if he had been at the head of his Class, at the end of each lesson throughout the half year to be 10,000, and the highest number of marks obtainable on the result of the half yearly Examination to be 500, the marks assigned to each Pupil during the half year shall be divided by 20 which will have the effect of giving to the half year's work as ascertained by the daily marks and to the half yearly Examination, equal influence in determining the award of prizes.

5. In adding up the marks for the half year, each pupil who may have been absent on account of certified ill health shall receive for the time he may have been absent up to one month, the average number of marks obtained by him during the time he was present. This privilege shall not be allowed to reckon for any period in excess of one month, and absence from any other cause than ill health shall entail the loss of all marks.

6. Two prizes shall ordinarily be allotted to each Class for general proficiency, and a third Prize shall be awarded for good Conduct.

7. A List of Books suitable for Prizes from which School Committees are at liberty to select is annexed. They will be purchased by the Commanding Officer and their cost charged on Contingent Bills.

List of Books suitable for Prizes in Army Schools.

Author.	Name of Book.	Publisher.	Price.
Sir W. Napier.....	The English Battles and Sieges of the Peninsular war.....	Murray.....	£. s. d. 0 10 6
Rev'd. G. H. Hodson...	Twelve years of a Soldier's life in India	J. W. Parker.....	0 10 6

Author.	Name of Book.	Publisher.	Price.
			£. d. s.
Creasy	The fifteen decisive Battles of the World.....	Bentley	0 10 6
W. Edwards.....	Personal Adventures during the Indian rebellion.....	Smith Elder and Co.....	0 6 0
Captain J. F. Wilson.....	The Defence of Lucknow.....	ditto	0 2 6
J. Ruskin.....	Round the Fire.....	ditto	0 3 0
Macfarlane.....	Life of Wellington.....	National Society London.....	0 2 2
do.	do. of Marlborough.....	ditto	0 2 2
Southey.....	do. of Nelson.....	ditto	0 1 2
do	Victories of Wellington and the British Army.....	ditto	0 4 3
do	Days of Battle, or Quatre Bras and Waterloo.....	ditto	0 1 5
Allen.....	Battles of the British Navy, (2 Vols.).....	ditto	0 8 6
Gleig.....	The Subaltern.....	ditto	0 2 5
Wood.....	Anecdotes of Animal Life, (1st Series.).....	ditto	0 3 0
do	ditto (2nd Series.).....	ditto	0 3 0
De Foe.....	Robinson Crusoe.....	ditto	0 2 11
G. L. Simmonds.....	Narrative of enterprise in the Arctic regions.....	ditto	0 2 0
C. Buxton.....	Memoirs of Sir J. F. Buxton.....	Murray	0 6 0
	Sport and its pleasures.....	ditto	0 2 6
	Shipwrecks of the Royal Navy.....	ditto	0 5 0
Mrs. Marcit.....	Story Book.....	ditto	0 2 0
Swainson.....	Habits and Instinct of Animals.....	Longman	0 3 6
E. Gifford.....	Deeds of Naval Daring.....	Murray	0 2 6
Rev. C. Ackland.....	Manners and Customs of India.....	ditto	0 2 6
Sir J. Barrow.....	Life and Voyages of Sir P. Drake.....	ditto	0 2 6
Sir A. D. Gordon.....	French in Algiers.....	ditto	0 2 6
Jules Marel.....	Wellington—His Character. Actions and Writings.....	ditto	0 1 6
	Vanti—the Chinese Magistrate.....	J. W. Parker.....	0 2 0
	Christopher Columbus.....	ditto	0 2 6
	Mungo Park.....	ditto	0 2 6
Humboldt.....	Travels in South America.....	ditto	0 2 6
Roberts	Wild Animals.....	ditto	0 3 6
	World of Waters.....	ditto	0 4 6
	Robinson Crusoe.....	Bohn.....	0 5 0
	Lessons on common things.....	J. Nelson and Sons.....	0 0 9
	Boy's 1st help to reading.....	Routledge.....	0 1 6
	Boy's 2nd do. do.	ditto	0 2 0
	No. V. Nelson's School series.....	J. Nelson and Sons.....	0 1 0
	Tales of Military Life.....	S. P. C. K.....	0 2 6
Cook	Voyages round the World.....	ditto	0 2 9
Dixon.....	The Life of Robert Blake, Admiral and General, at Sea.....	Chapman and Hall.....	0 2 0
	Paul and Virginia.....	Groombridge.....	0 1 6
Goldsmith.....	Vicar of Wakefield.....	ditto	0 2 0
Sullivan.....	The Literary Class Book.....	Longman.....	0 2 6
M. G. Lewis.....	Romantic tales.....	Groombridge.....	0 2 0
J. Ruskin.....	The King of the Golden River.....	Smith Elder and Co.....	0 2 6
	Swiss Family Robinson.....	Natl. Society.....	0 2 11
	Autobiography of Ben. Franklin.....	ditto	0 1 6
	Stories that should be told.....	Darton and Company.....	0 3 6
	Near Home.....	Hutchard (Piccadilly).....	0 5 0
	Information on Common objects.....	Groombridge.....	0 2 6
	<i>More Especially adapted for Girls.</i>		
R. Barwell.....	The Cure of the Sick.....	Chapman and Hall.....	0 1 0
	Peep of Day.....	Hutchard (Piccadilly).....	0 2 0
	Far off Part I.....	ditto	0 4 0
	Far off Part II.....	ditto	0 4 0
Gleig's School series.....	Domestic Economy.....	Longman.....	0 1 0
Rev. R. Bickersteth.....	Pleasant Sundays.....	Dean Ludgate Hill.....	0 2 6
	A manual of Domestic Economy.....	Groombridge.....	0 1 6
Rev. T. B. Wells.....	A hundred tales for children.....	Natl. Society.....	0 2 6
	Stories for summer days and winter nights, (double volume).....	Groombridge.....	0 2 0
J. Whyte.....	Lessons on Housewifery.....	ditto	0 0 6

A. O. 11th August 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery having lately had brought to his notice that, in the cases of transfer of men from one portion of the Regiment to another, the column in the Nominal Roll for “*claims*” does not contain all necessary information with reference to clothing, calls the particular attention of all Officers to this subject, and directs that, prior to this column being filled in, the Small account books of men be carefully examined, and, if necessary, that any further information required by the Department to which they are going be forwarded separately.

ARRIVALS.

1859.	Names.	From.	At.
9th August	Lieut. E. W. Childers,	Europe.	Madras.
“	“ A. P. Bainbridge	Bangalore	“
13th	“ Captain C. H. Harrison	Banda	“ (via Calcutta)
“	“ 2d Captain J. R. Magrath	Calcutta	“

DEPARTURES.

1859.	Names.	From.	To.
10th August	—Lieut. H. W. Hastings	Madras	Thayetmayo.
“	“ E. W. Lockhart,	“	Moulmein.
“	“ Capt. C. H. Harrison,	“	Bangalore.
17th	“ The Hon’ble H. S. O’Grady	“	“
28th	“ 2d Captain J. R. Magrath	“	Bombay.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859	Names.	To.
9th August	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. Selby,—Appointed to the Command of the Troops about to embark for Rangoon, &c., on board the Steamer “Sydney.”	
16th	“ 2d Captain L. F. C. Thomas,—To be Major in the Army, by Brevet, dated 28th August 1858.	
19th	“ Lieut. J. W. Pollock (not arrived) } Date of rank fixed	
	“ W. S. Hebbert (do.) } 10th June 1859.	
19th	“ Major (Bt. Col.) R. C. Moore C. B. }	
	“ F. Burgoyne. }	
	“ G. W. Y. Simpson. }	
	“ T. Lavie (<i>retired</i>). }	
	“ G. Briggs. }	
	“ J. Maitland. }	
	“ (Bt. Col.) G. Balfour C. B. }	

To be Lieutenant Colonels from 27th August 1858. } Cancels the promotions and Alterations of rank made in G. O. G. No. 374 dated 28th Sept. 1858, with the exception of the promotion of certain Lieutenants to the rank of 2d Captain.

1859.

	Names.	To.
19th August 2d Lieutenant	W. F. Grey.	
"	J. McNeil.	
"	H. M. Finlay.	
"	J. Hoyes.	
"	F. E. Hadow.	
"	W. H. McCausland.	
"	F. H. Thompson.	
"	F. S. Budd.	
"	H. P. T MacCarthy.	
"	H. P. Lane.	
"	W. H. Caine.	
"	W. Manderson.	
"	C. R. Buckle.	
"	M. L. Monckton.	
"	J. Ford.	
"	A. Wynch.	
"	W. J. Cottam (<i>deceased.</i>)	
"	I. Ketchen.	
"	A. P. Bainbridge.	
"	S. Penny.	
"	H. J. Thornton.	
"	M. H. C. B. Steinman.	
"	E. T. Ouchterlony.	
"	R. T. Hamond.	
"	C. E. Pritchard.	
"	W. M. D. Wright.	
"	H. L. Armstrong.	
"	H. W. Hastings.	
"	H. G. Pritchard.	
"	A. M. Rawlins.	
"	A. H. Roberts.	
"	H. F. Pritchard.	
"	B. Yaldwyn.	
"	K. J. L. MacKenzie.	
"	J. W. Macdougall.	
"	H. Featherstonhaugh.	
"	J. F. Pierson.	
"	W. Bryden.	
"	G. H. Trevor.	
"	St. J. C. Shawe.	
"	A. C. Davidson.	
"	<i>The Honorable</i> A. B. de	
"	Montmorency.	
"	W. H. Montgomerie.	
"	M. M. Bowie.	
"	W. Bisset.	
"	C. H. A. Gower.	
"	P. M. Rolland.	
"	A. W. O. Whinyates.	
"	W. Wyndham.	
"	W. E. Lockhart.	
"	G. B. Macdonell.	
"	T. E. R. Ditmas (<i>deceased.</i>)	
"	C. E. Reid.	
"	T. W. Roberts.	
"	C. C. Saxton.	

To be Lieutenants from 27th August 1858.

Cancels the promotions and alterations of rank made in G. O. G. No. 374 dated 28th September 1858, with the exception of the promotion of certain Lieutenants to the rank of 2d Captain.

1859.

*Names.**To.*

25th August Lieut. Col. W. H. Miller,—To be Commandant.
 Lieut. D. D. Anderson,—To be Adjutant. } Of the Artillery Recruiting Depôt Saint Thomas' Mount.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859						
1st Aug.	Lieut. A P. Bainbridge.	D.	4th	A.	4th	{ To remain and do duty at Bangalore under the Officer Commanding Artillery there until further orders.
6th "	Capt. (Comy. of Ordnance) A. Stewart.....	{ Fort Saint George.		Masulipatam		{ To the charge of the Arsenal at Masulipatam :—to proceed by the first opportunity by Sea.
25th "	Lieut. C. J. McMahon A. Compy. 5th Battn. Artillery.....	{ ..... }	.....	d. d.	H. B.	{ During absence of Lieutenant J. Stewart, on Furlough to Europe, or until further orders.
	Lieut. W. M. D. Wright	d. d. C.	2nd	B.	1st	{ To join by the expiration of his leave.
	" H. Featherston- haugh.....	{ d. d. Arty. Bangalore. }		A.	3rd	{ To join on being dismissed the Riding School.
	" C. H. A. Gower...	do.		D.	4th	{ To join by the expiration of his leave.
	" T. W. Roberts....	d. d.	1st	.....	.....	{ To do duty under Officer Commanding Artillery in Mysore for instruction in Equitation, &c.
	" W. R. C. Brough	{ d. d. Arty. Bangalore. }		B.	3rd	{ To await arrival of his Company at Bangalore.
	" J. H. Gleig.....	d. d.	1st	.....	.....	{ To do duty under Officer Commanding Artillery in Mysore for instruction in Equitation, &c.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.

*Names.**Where and Remarks.*

12th August Lieut. Genl. W. Cullen,
 Resident of Travancore and Cochin. } *Privilege leave* of absence for three months from the 15th Instant, or from date quitting Travancore.

25th " Captain C. H. Harrison,—Bangalore, *Privilege leave* for 60 days, from 15th August 1859.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.

20th August Lieutenant S. H. E. Chamier,—Hingolee—Passed for the General Staff under para 11, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853, No. 46.

SURVEYING INSTRUMENTS &c. TO BE SUPPLIED TO REGIMENTAL SCHOOLS.

G. O. G. No. 344, 2nd September 1859.—The Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the supply of the following Surveying Instruments, &c., to Regimental Schools, for the instruction of European Soldiery in Surveying.

Allotment for a Class of 20 Students.

- 1 Levelling Instrument with Stand.
- 1 5 inch Theodolite.
- 3 Prismatic Compasses.
- 10 Cases Mathematical Drawing Instruments (Fish skin Small).
- 1 Small box of Mathematical Instruments.
- 2 Chains, 100 feet with arrows.
- 1 Pair Levelling Staves.
- 6 Bandroles (the Regimental one might be used).

The following Annually.

- 22 Small Memoranda Books for Field Books.
- 22 Pencils, F.
- 48 Camel Hair Pencils.
- 1 Cake Indigo.....)
- 1 ditto Lake.....)
- 2 ditto Yellow Ochre...)
- 1 ditto Neutral Tint....) Colors.
- 1 ditto Sepia)
- 1 ditto Indian Ink.....)
- 1 ditto Gamboge.....)
- 3 Sheets Drawing Paper...Medium.
- 60 ditto ditto ditto ...Demy.
- 1 Foolscap Book.....2 Quires
- 5 Quires Foolscap Paper.

ADOPTION OF THE REVISED SYSTEM OF SWORD EXERCISE.

G. O. C. C. No. 84, 3rd September 1859.—The Com-

mander-in-Chief directs the adoption of the revised system of Sword Exercise noted in the margin, in substitution of that at present in use.

2. Copies will be supplied for Regimental Record from the Adjutant General's Office, and Officers are directed to supply themselves with the same.

3. Books of Sword Exercise now in use are to be returned into Store, and struck off the Returns of Corps.

ADOPTION OF THE REVISED SYSTEM OF "FIELD EXERCISE AND EVOLUTIONS OF THE ARMY."

G. O. C. C. No. 85, 7th September 1859.—The Commander-in-Chief directs the adoption of the "Rules and Regulations for the Field Exercise and Evolutions of the Infantry," as revised by Her Majesty's Command, in substitution of the Book at present in use.

2. Copies will be circulated to the several Departments and Regiments for their information and guidance and all Officers are directed to supply themselves with the same.

3. Books of Exercise now in use are to be returned into Store, and struck off the Returns of Corps and Departments.

4. The particular attention of Officers in Command, is called to the subjoined General Order by His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief.

GENERAL ORDER.

Horse Guards, S. W., March 1859.

"The system of 'Field Exercise and Evolutions of the Army,' having been revised by a Board composed of Officers selected for that purpose, His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief has received the Queen's Commands to require of all General Officers in Command of Troops, the most scrupulous adherence to the system now promulgated.

“ It is to their superintendence and vigilance that Her Majesty trusts for the enforcement of prompt and implicit obedience to all General Orders and Regulations, and His Royal Highness reminds the Officers of the Army of the responsibility they will incur by introducing any deviation from a system which has been sanctioned by Her Majesty.

“ By Command of His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief.”

(Signed) G. A. WETHERALL, *Adjutant General.*”

5. All Regiments must go through the complete course of drill from the commencement and not proceed from one part to the other until the Soldier is thoroughly well instructed in the preceding portion.

INVALID SOLDIERS PROCEEDING TO ENGLAND TO BE PROVIDED WITH TWO BLANKETS.

G. O. C. C. No. 87, 7th September 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government have ordered that each Invalid Soldier on proceeding to England shall be provided with two Blankets. But it is not intended that two *new* Blankets shall be issued to him unless the one he has in use shall be found to be not sufficiently serviceable for the voyage: and this will be determined before he leaves his Corps or Station.

PERIOD FROM WHICH A STAFF OFFICER, RETURNING FROM LEAVE BEYOND SEA, CAN BE ALLOWED TO DRAW HIS STAFF ALLOWANCES.

G. O. G. No. 360, 16th September 1859.—The following Orders by the Lieutenant-Governor, North Western Provinces, are republished in General Orders.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES.

Financial Department, the 17th August 1859.

No. 2668.—The following correspondence, forwarded by

the Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department, is published for general information :—

Office Memorandum from the Military Department, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, No. 1267, dated 29th June 1859.

With reference to Office Memorandum, No. 5048, dated 20th June 1859, from the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, the undersigned has the honor to transmit the accompanying Extract paragraph 3, from a letter No. 171, dated 15th October 1856, from the late Hon'ble Court of Directors, fixing the period from which a Staff Officer, returning from leave beyond Sea, can be allowed to draw his Staff Allowances, and to state that the rule laid down is still in force.

Extract from a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, to the Government of India, No. 171, dated 15th October 1856.

3. The new Furlough Regulations made no alteration in the old rules governing the resumption of Staff Allowances on return to duty. Under those rules an Officer who had ceased, prior to his return, to be entitled to Staff Allowances, could not draw any portion of them from an earlier date than that of his resumption of his Staff duties. We think it undesirable to make any change in this respect.

Letter dated 4th April 1856, No. 129.

2. Government have decided that Staff Officers returning from leave beyond Sea, under the new Furlough Rules, are entitled to half Staff salary from the date of their return to India, and that the acting incumbents revert to half Staff Allowances from the same date.

RULES FOR THE SUPPLY OF A FRESH KIT TO A SOLDIER ON RE-ENLISTMENT, OR THE PAYMENT OF THE ESTIMATED VALUE OF A KIT.

G. O. G. No. 364, 20th September 1859.—The following General Orders by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, are republished.

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 1st September 1859.

No. 1241 of 1859.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the publication in General Order of the following War Office Circular, No. 372, dated 7th January 1859:—

No. 27.

Circular No. 372.

War Office, 7th January 1859.

General No. 1019.

SIR,—REFERRING to the Circular Letter from this Department,* dated the 27th September 1858, No. 325,* (27 General, No. 905,) which provided that each Soldier who, after the 1st October 1858, re-enlists after the expiration of his first period of service of ten or twelve years, shall be placed on the footing as a Recruit, and receive a free Kit on re-enlistment, or should he not require a fresh Kit, to be paid the value thereof in money. I am desired by Secretary Major-General Peel to inform you, that the provisions of this Circular are intended to apply to the Engineers, Artillery, and Military Train, as well as to the Cavalry and Infantry, the value of the Kits issued to Recruits joining these Corps being estimated as follows:—

	£.	s.	d.
Royal Horse Artillery.....	4	16	9
Royal Artillery.....	3	14	11
Royal Engineers.....	4	14	10
„ „ Train.....	5	11	3
Military Train.....	5	6	6

(Signed) B. HAWES.

No. 1242 of 1859.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, that the Rules laid down in

* Published in Madras G. O. G. 7th January 1859, No. 5.

the War Office Circulars, Nos. 325, of the 27th September 1858, and 372, of the 7th January 1859, published in Government General Orders, Nos. 77 and 1241 of 1859, as far as regards the supply of a fresh Kit to a Soldier on re-enlistment, or the payment of the estimated value of a Kit, should he not require a fresh Kit, shall be held applicable to Soldiers of Her Majesty Indian Army.

MEN RETURNING FROM FOREIGN SERVICE PERMANENTLY DISQUALIFIED FOR FURTHER EFFECTIVE SERVICE WILL BE BROUGHT BEFORE SPECIAL MEDICAL INVALIDING COMMITTEES AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE.

G. O. C. C. No. 95, 17th September 1859.—With reference to *G. O. C. C.* dated 1st November 1845, No. 65, the Com-

mander in Chief directs it to be notified that para. 41 of that order, is not to be considered applicable to men who may return from Foreign Service with the

loss of a Limb, or any other permanent disqualification for further effective Service. In all such cases they will be brought before Special Medical Invaliding Committees as soon as practicable after disembarkation.

SUMS ENTERED IN MONTHLY CASUAL RETURNS DUE TO INVALIDS &c. RETURNING TO EUROPE, NOT INTENDED TO APPLY TO SAVING BANK BALANCES.

G. O. G. No. 368, 23rd September 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 8th September 1859.

No. 1271 of 1859.—Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that the War Office Circular, dated 6th March 1859, No. 410,

providing that such sums as may be due to Invalids and others returning to Europe should, in future, be stated against the names of the men in the Monthly Casualty Returns in which they may be reported Non-effective, is not intended to apply to Saving Bank Balances, which are to be withdrawn from the Government Savings Bank, and remitted to England in the manner prescribed by Government General Order, No. 635 of 1858.*

ALTERATIONS IN THE REGULATIONS REGARDING MARCHES.

G. O. G. No. 372, 27th September 1859.—The Governor in Council directs that paras. 76 and 77 of the Regulations regarding MARCHES, published in *G. O. G.* 27th May 1856, No. 166, be altered as follows:—

Para. 76. “ One report only of march or arrival of any Corps or Detachment exceeding 12 Rank and File is necessary. This should be made by the Officer Commanding the Station, and should be forwarded to Head Quarters through the channel of the Division, except in urgent cases, when the delay arising out of the adoption of that channel may be considered detrimental. In such cases the Quarter Master General should be addressed direct by the Officer Commanding the Troops in movement, or by the Officer Commanding the Station which the Troops have left, or have arrived at.”

Para. 77. “ The above is not intended to debar the Officer Commanding the Division, or Station, or Troops, from making any additional report, should circumstances call for it.”

DIRECTING ARRANGEMENTS BEING CARRIED OUT IN RESPECT TO CERTAIN LIGHT FIELD BATTERIES OF THE ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 96, 23d September 1859.—With the sanction of Government and in continuation of the orders noted in the margin* the Commander in Chief is pleased to direct that the

* *G. O. C. C. No. 49, 9th September 1857.*
do. do. 57, 1st October do.

* Published in Madras *G. O. G.* 11th May 1858. No. 169.

following arrangements be carried out in respect to certain Light Field Batteries of the Artillery.

1st. Until the full allotment of European Drivers can be provided, the Batteries below mentioned to be reduced to 4 Guns each (1 Howitzer and 3 Guns).

No. 10 with the B. Company 2d Battalion at Secunderabad.

No. 11 with the D. Company 2d Battalion at Kamptee.

2d. No. 5 Bullock Battery now with the D. Company 3d Battalion at Kamptee will be Horsed and numbered 12, to effect which object the following removals are ordered.

	From.	To.	Remarks.
The Horses of No. 8 Battery now at Bangalore	No. 8 Battery.	No. 12 Battery.	To be sent to Kamptee under arrangements which will be communicated to the Officers Commanding Mysore and Centre Division by the Quarter Master General of the Army.
The Native Drivers of No. 4 Battery who recently arrived at the Mount from Rangoon..	No. 4 Battery.		
Staff Serjeant Charles Skinner, General No. 2478 now doing duty with No. 8. Battery at Bangalore	No. 6 Battery.		

3d. The 2d Company of East Indian Drivers (now at Bangalore) is removed from No. 8 to No. 3 Battery with the D. Company 1st Battalion, and will proceed to Rangoon when furnished with orders by the Quarter Master General of the Army.

* No. 4 D. Company 2d Battalion Kamptee.
 No. 5 D. do. 3d do. Kamptee.
 No. 8 A. do. 2d do. Trichinopoly.

4th. The Karkhanas as per margin* are to be broken up,

Nos. 4 and 8 from the date of receipt of this order at Kamptee and Trichinopoly, and No. 5 when the Horses and Drivers for No. 12 Battery join at Kamptee—the Bullocks are, on the reduction of these Karkhanas, to be made over to the Commissariat Department.

5th. The Commandant of Artillery, is authorized to fill up all vacancies in the Gun Lascar Establishment by the

transfer of eligible Karkhana Drivers, until the Supernumeraries occasioned by the reduction of the above Karkhanas are absorbed.

SUMMER CLOTHING TO BE SUPPLIED TO RECRUITS WITHOUT REFERENCE TO THE DATE OF THEIR LANDING.

G. O. C. C. No. 98, 24th September 1859.—With advertence to *G. O. C. C. No. 71, dated 26th June 1858, para. 5*, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that the Summer Clothing to be supplied to Recruits is to be furnished to them from the Clothing Agency without reference to the date of their landing—But it is to be understood that one suit only of this Clothing is served out gratis: for the other Suit, the Soldier is to pay.

A. O. 8th September 1859.—II. The following is to be inserted as para. 14 of *A. O. No. 11 of 1858 dated 18th June 1858*.

“14. Except in cases where the Committee refer to the Register itself, the extract from Register of Heirs, shewing the nominated Heir to pension, is to be attached to each case.”

III. Adverting to *G. O. C. C. No. 50 dated 14th May 1859*, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to cancel *A. O. No. 6 of 1859*, and to direct that when men (whose claims have been reported as adjusted) are ordered to the Mount, preparatory for embarkation to Europe, they may dispose of all their kit except such portion of it as will admit of their appearing at an Undress Parade, or taking their tour of Guard duty.

A. O. 20th September 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant directs it to be notified that Accoutrements of a new pattern have been received from England for the Foot Artillery consisting of

Belts, Buff, Waist, Serjeant, Artillery, N. P.

„ „ „ Rank and File, „ „

Belts, Buff, Pouch, Serjeant, Artillery, N. P.

„ „ „ Rank and File, „ „
 Frogs, „ Sword, Serjeant, „ „
 „ „ „ Rank and File, „ „
 Pouches, Ammunition, Serjeant, „ „
 „ „ „ Rank and File, „ „
 „ Buff, Percussion Cap, „ „
 Slings, „ Carbine, „ „
 Plates, Waist, Brass, Serjeant, Artillery, „ „
 „ „ „ Rank and File, „ „

2. When the Accoutrements of an entire Company require renewing, they are to be replaced by those of the new pattern; but any partial replacement will be effected according to the pattern in use at the time.

3. The Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines having represented that there is great scarcity of Buff leather at present, every care is to be taken not to condemn the old pattern accoutrements until they are unfit for further use.

II. Consequent on the movements ordered in G. O. G. of the 5th July 1859, the undermentioned Light Field Batteries will have Companies attached to them as follows.

No. of Battery.	Where stationed.	Companies to be attached.	Remarks.
4	Tonghoo	{ A. Company 2d Battalion.	{ To have effect from the date of arrival at Tonghoo of the A. Compy. 2d Battn.
5	Bangalore	{ B. Company 3d Battalion.	
9	Trichinopoly	{ C. Company 2d Battalion.	{ To have effect from the date of arrival at Trichinopoly of the C. Company 2d Battalion.
10	Secunderabad	{ B. Company 2d Battalion.	{ To have effect from the date of arrival at Secunderabad of the B. Company 2d Battalion.

A. O. 21st September 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that the Officers attending Drill, whether on their first arrival in India or under the operation of para. 2, Section X, of the General Regulations of the Artillery, shall do duty with the Artillery Recruit Dépôt until reported qualified to be dismissed by the Officer Commanding it.

A. O. 26th September 1859.—I. The several Divisions of the Saugor Force having been broken up and the Troops placed in Cantonments, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery considers this a fitting time for acknowledging the services of the Officers and soldiers of the Madras Artillery, who have served under Major General Sir G. C. Whitlock, K. C. B., as well as of all those lately employed in Bengal, and offering them his sincere and cordial thanks for the zeal, gallantry, and discipline shewn by all ranks, both European and Native, while engaged in this eventful contest.

2. The name of every Officer who took part in the late brilliant achievements is shewn in the appendix; and though they have, one and all, received well merited thanks and, in some instances, honors, from the highest authorities, the Brigadier feels confident that all will be gratified at seeing their claims to distinction acknowledged by their own immediate superior, and their achievements in the Field enrolled among the Regimental records. Of those who, by their position, had opportunities of bringing themselves prominently to notice, the Brigadier desires to express the high sense he entertains of the untiring zeal, and well directed ability, of Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Miller while Brigadier in command of the Artillery with the Saugor Force, as well as the conspicuous gallantry displayed by him at the battle of Banda, where, in personal conflict with one of the Mutineers, a Native Officer of the Bengal Horse Artillery, he lost his right arm.

3. To Lieutenant Colonel T. Lavie, who succeeded to the command of the Artillery on Brigadier Miller's being disabled ; as well as to Majors, now Lieutenant Colonels, E. Brice and J. D. Mein, Commanding F. and A. Troops Horse Artillery respectively, the Brigadier's acknowledgments are most justly due, not only for their gallantry at the battle of Banda, but also in other less important actions, as well as for their unwearied exertions during the whole of the campaign.

4. The Brigadier deems it proper on this occasion to express the high sense he entertains of the zeal, activity, and gallantry manifested by Captains and Brevet Lieutenant Colonels G. S. Cotter and R. Cadell ;—the former Officer proceeded to Bengal with the A. Company 3rd Battalion Artillery soon after the mutiny broke out, and commanded it in 17 actions, including the relief of Lucknow, in a manner that elicited the most flattering encomiums from the highest authorities ; while the latter, who assumed command on Lieutenant Colonel G. S. Cotter's failing health obliging him to return to England, was equally successful in 3 actions in which he commanded this distinguished Company, in adding to its laurels.

5. The Brigadier also begs to offer his best thanks to Majors C. H. Harrison and L. Bridge ; Captains A. T. Cadell, W. C. F. Gosling, J. H. Elwyn, G. B. B. Holmes, and R. G. F. Henegan ; and Lieutenants R. Pope, S. H. E. Chamier and F. H. Thompson, for their indefatigable zeal, strenuous exertions, and cool gallantry on the several occasions in which they have been employed.

6. The undermentioned Officers who have been prominently engaged during the late arduous campaigns, though not with their own Regiment, are well deserving of having placed on record the Brigadier's grateful acknowledgments of their services, and his admiration of their gallant conduct

on every occasion in which they engaged the enemy, when every Officer appeared determined that his own individual exertions should add to the credit of his Regiment.

Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Orr, C. B.

Captain (Lieut.-Colonel) J. L. Barrow.

Captain (Major) A. W. Macintire, C. B.

2nd Captain (Major) G. G. Pearse.

2nd Captain (Major) L. F. C. Thomas.

2nd Captain E. M. Playfair.

Lieutenant R. C. Henchy.

7. The name of the late Lieutenant C. W. Crump would have held a conspicuous place in this list had his life been spared, and his pen would have best described the gallant exploits of the Army;—his career was a short but brilliant one, commencing at Benares and terminating, after nearly 4 months almost incessant fighting, at Lucknow. His brother Officers are erecting a Monument to his memory as a memorial of their appreciation of his gallant achievements.

8. The European Artillery, in meeting and overcoming the fatigues and privations of the late campaigns, as well as by their gallantry whenever they encountered an enemy, have nobly sustained the character of the Regiment; and, in the late unfortunate Bounty question, in no one instance could the Madras Artillery be induced to participate in acts of insubordination committed by other Troops at the same station; and though every Troop and Company has, by its loyalty and discipline, proved itself, during the late trying times, worthy of the thanks and gratitude of Government, yet the Brigadier deems it necessary particularly to mention the B. Company 4th Battalion Artillery under Captain H. E. Hicks, which was exposed to more than ordinary trial; but to the credit of themselves and their Officers their discipline remained unshaken, and they never for a moment wavered in the part they should take.

9. The Native Artillery, both Horse and Foot, have proved themselves worthy of the confidence reposed in them by Government during this eventful crisis, and great as were the expectations of the Brigadier of their courage, loyalty, and discipline, they have been more than realized on the present occasion;—a bad example was set them by men of another Regiment at the commencement of the disturbances; this however they heeded not, but proceeded by sea and land, with alacrity and cheerfulness, to the Bengal provinces, while the patient endurance with which they submitted to the numerous privations and harassing duties incidental to such a service, and the manner in which they worked their Guns on all occasions, but most particularly at Cawnpore on the 26th, 27th, and 28th November 1857, (when it is not too much to say that, but for their steady gallantry, the most disastrous consequences might have ensued,) was the theme of admiration from all under whom they served.

10. It is now 40 years since the Native Artillery were raised, and on several occasions their fidelity has been severely tested, but never found wanting; and the admirable spirit they displayed at Hyderabad during the Batta disturbances, where they were the only part of a large Native Force that did not break out into mutiny, will long be remembered as a memorable instance of loyalty and devotion to the service.

11. In conclusion, and in again returning to all Officers and men his most cordial thanks for their invaluable services to the State in the late crisis, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery performs a pleasing duty in publishing the following extracts from the Proceedings of Government dated 5th August 1859; and from Division Orders, Saugor Division, dated 11th August 1859, by Major General Sir G. C. Whitlock, K. C. B.; in connexion with the zeal and assiduity evinced by Lieut.-Colonel J. L. Barrow; and the portion of the Regiment of Madras Artillery under the command of the Major General.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter.

*Form the Adjutant General of the Army, 2nd August 1859
No. 835; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.*

I have the honor, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward, for submission to the Honorable the Governor

* *
 Dated 1st July 1859
 Bringing prominently to notice the
 conduct of Major Barrow while Commissary of Ordnance with the Saugor Field Division.

in Council, copies of letters from the Officer Commanding Saugor Field Division as per margin.*

2. Lieutenant General Sir Patrick Grant has instructed me to say, that it is very gratifying to him to submit these handsome, and, His Excellency is sure, well deserved tributes to the merits of Majors * * and Barrow, from the General under whose immediate command they have rendered those important and zealous services described.

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From the Officer Commanding Saugor Field Division, 1st July 1859, to the Adjutant General of the Army, Fort Saint George.

There is no appointment that has called for a stouter heart and more unwearied exertion in the Saugor Field Division than that of Major Barrow, Commissary of Ordnance, with a heavy Siege Train under his supervision.

In Garrison the duties of this appointment are mostly confined to quiet, yet still important, objects,—but in the Field, intelligence, energy, activity, exposure to the weather, and a cheerful disposition, are requisite for an Officer to carry out this work with efficiency and satisfaction.

Amongst the many valuable Officers that the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to attach to this Force, there is no one who merits warmer acknowledgments for his services to the State than Major Barrow.

Untiring in his disposition, he completed at Nagpore a Siege Train unsurpassed for its efficiency ;—his excellent knowledge of all connected with his branch of the service, enabled him to supply every thing that was required for its progress, and to move that Train with an expedition and safety I could have scarce contemplated.

Throughout its journeyings, who in the Force cannot call to recollection the various misgivings which would force themselves on the mind, as in broken roads, in dense and burning jungles, the Train toiled along ; and where was discipline (even amongst the Lascars) ever more conspicuous, arrangements more complete, or exertions more unwearied, than in the dangerous and fearful descent of the Punnah Ghaut, an operation of three days.

Then again the care of this valuable charge at the battle of Banda ; and lastly the packing this enormous Train with its Ammunition ; and, when left at Banda, the admirable plan for its safety with the weakest Garrison. All this had been effected by Major Barrow.

It is a duty I owe to him thus prominently to bring to notice his exertions in the Field, and the frequent devotion of those hours he may have claimed for rest to the heavy business of his office, the details of which I believe to have been carried on with every correctness and satisfaction.

The Commander-in-Chief has indeed marked his approbation, in some lately bestowed appointments, of many valuable Officers of the Force, and most grateful to my own feelings has been such distinction ; and the appointment Major Barrow is now about to fill is another kind proof of His Excellency's remembrance of those who have done their duty.

I beg permission earnestly to recommend this Officer to the Commander in Chief, Sir Patrick Grant, with a full conviction that his abilities and his zeal will do credit to His Excellency's patronage.

ORDER No. 2802, 5TH AUGUST 1859.

The Governor in Council has perused the foregoing reports with much satisfaction, and directs that they be forwarded to the Government of India, with the request of this Government that they be submitted to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, for favorable consideration.

To the Secretary to the Government of India Military Department.

Here enter 5th August 1859, No. 2803.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

DIVISION ORDERS BY MAJOR GENERAL SIR G. C. WHITLOCK, K. C. B., COMMANDING SAUGOR FIELD DIVISION.

Head Quarters, Saugor Field Division, Saugor, 11th August 1859.

I. The following D. O. is to be substituted for that of the 2d instant, No. 4.

*General Orders by the Right Honorable the
Commander in Chief.*

HEAD QUARTERS, SIMLA,
25th July 1859.

With the sanction of Government, and in continuation of General Orders of the 29th ultimo, the Artillery Brigade of

the Saugor Field Division is to be broken up from the date of receipt of this order at the Head Quarters of the Brigade.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Major,
Offg. Adjt. General of the Army.

In publishing the above extract of G. O. by which the Right Honorable Lord Clyde G. C. B., Commander in Chief, breaks up the Madras Artillery Brigade with the Saugor Field Division, Major General Sir George Whitlock begs to offer to the various Officers who have commanded this Brigade a sincere and warm acknowledgment of their valuable services, and his best and hearty thanks for the cordial assistance he has invariably received from each when in the exercise of so important a charge.

Wounds and sickness have separated these Officers from the Major General's command, and have compelled them to seek for health and strength in different climes, but

Brigadier W. H. Miller, Madras Artillery,
Lieutenant Colonel T. Lavie, Madras Artillery,
Major J. Mein, Madras Horse Artillery,
Brigadier P. P. Faddy, Royal Artillery,
Major R. Kinkead, Madras Artillery,

have indeed, with their gallant Force, done good services, which will never be effaced from the Major General's memory, and right glad will he be to learn that they have returned to their duty, and that His Excellency the Commander in Chief will again be enabled to avail himself of the services of Officers, who have so well supported the honor of the noble branch of the profession to which they belong.

(By order.)

(Signed) A. C. McMASTER, Captain,
Assistant Adjutant General.

Memo. Shewing the battles and various engagements in which the Officers and men of the Madras Artillery took part during the suppression of the Mutiny in India, as taken from the Despatches published in G. O.'s and from reports received at Artillery Head Quarters.

Troops, Companies, or detachments.	Operations, Battles, Sieges, or Affairs, engaged in.	Officers present on the several occasions.	
A. Troop Horse Brigade.....	Jheeghun..... Kubrai..... Banda..... Jhounpore..... Relief of Kirwee.. Punwaree..... Kentee.....	Capt. (Lt. Colonel) 2d Captain Lieutenant " 2d Captain Lieutenant	J. D. Mein. R. G. F. Henegan. J. Stewart. D. D. Anderson. R. G. F. Henegan. D. D. Anderson.
B. Troop Horse Brigade.....	Chicumba.....	Captain 2d Captain	A. T. Cadell. J. B. Swete.
D. Troop Horse Brigade.....	In the Nagpore District at various periods between 9th November 1858 and 18th May 1859.	Captain (Major) Lieutenant " "	J. E. Mawdsley. A. J. Ogilvie. E. S. Milman. W. H. Caine, <i>doing duty.</i>
Head Quarters E. Troop Horse Brigade.	With the Kurnool Moveable Column from July to December 1857. With the Secunderabad Moveable Column, and Field Force in the Raichore Doab, in June and July 1858, and from Novr. 1858 to March 1859.	Captain Captain	F. G. Nuthall. H. T. Molesworth.
Left ½ E. Troop Horse Brigade.	Relief of Lucknow. Repulse of attack on Cawnpore. Ghurrah..... Buntorah.....	2d Captain (Major) Lieutenant Lieutenant	L. Bridge. B. L. Gordon. B. L. Gordon.
F. Troop Horse Brigade.....	Kubrai..... Banda.....	Lieutenant Colonel Captain Lieutenant	E. Brice. G. B. B. Holmes. W. R. D. Sewell, (<i>the late.</i>)
Detachment C. Company 1st Battalion.....	Shorapore..... Copal.....	2d Captain "	M. C. Lawson. H. D. Gloag.

Troops, Companies, or detachments.	Operations, Battles, Sieges, or Affairs engaged in.	Officers present on the several occasions.	
A. Company 3d Battalion.....	Nusrutpore.....	Captain (Lt. Col.) 2d Captain Lieutenant	G. S. Cotter. W. J. Bradford. S. H. E. Chamier.
	Operations during siege of Lucknow.....		
	Chanda.....		
	Ameereepore.....		
	Badshahgunge.....		
	Sultanpore.....	Captain (Lt. Col.) 2d Captain Lieutenant	G. S. Cotter. G. G. J. Campbell. W. J. Bradford. S. H. E. Chamier.
	Dhowrara.....		
	Munnihar.....		
	Tonse Bridge.....		
	Azimutghur.....		
	Nughai.....	2d Captain 2d Capt. (Lt. Col.) 2d Captain Lieutenant	J. R. J. Robertson. R. Cadell. R. C. B. Highmoor. W. H. Montgomerie.
	Munnuhar.....		
	Sheepore Ghaut..		
	Jugdespore.....		
	Duleepore.....		
D. Company 3d Battalion.....	Metahi.....	2d Captain Lieutenant Lieutenant Lieutenant	A. C. Jones. W. H. Caine. A. C. Jones. H. P. Lane. T. I. M. Hog.
	Chowbepore.....		
	Jugdespore.....		
	Doomereagunge..		
	Bururiah.....		
A. Company 4th Battalion.....	Toolsepore.....	Lieutenant Lieutenant Lieutenant Lieutenant	R. Pope. C. Johnson. R. Pope. C. Johnson. J. C. Taylor. C. Johnson. R. Pope.
	Kuttenghee.....		
	Balacote.....		
	Moorwarrah.....		
	Konee Pass.....		
B. Company 4th Battalion.....	Badgaum.....	Lieutenant Captain Lieutenant Lieutenant	F. H. Thompson. H. E. Hicks. F. H. Thompson. W. Bryden.
	Banda.....		
	Relief of Kirwee..		
	Punwaree.....		
	Punwaree.....		
C. Company 5th Battalion.....	Repulse of attack on Cawnpore.....	Lieutenant	S. H. E. Chamier.
	Defence of the Bridge and Bithoor road.....		
	Ghurrah.....		
	Danah.....		
	Sumbulpore.....		
E. Company 5th Battalion.....	Sumbulpore.....	2d Capt. (Lt. Col.) Captain Lieutenant	G. A. Goldingham. R. Cadell. J. H. Elwyn. F. E. Hadow.
	Sumbulpore.....		

Names of Officers absent on staff or detached duties who have been engaged in the recent operations in India.

Rank and Names.		Operations, Battles, Sieges or Affairs engaged in.
Lieutenant Colonel	W. H. Miller.....	Jheeghun. Kubrai. Banda.
"	T. Lavie (<i>retired</i>)....	Jheeghun. Banda.
"	W. A. Orr, C. B.....	Peepliah. Rawul. Mundisore. Near Mundisore. Tal Behut. Galowlee. Mudinpore. Jhausie. On the Betwa. Calpee. Muttra. Belowah. Kotra. Kooneh. Gwalior.
Capt. (Lt. Colonel)	J. L. Barrow.....	Banda.
Captain (Major)	A. W. Macintyre C. B.	Jheeghun. Kubrai. Banda. Konee Pass. Relief of Kirwee.
Captain	W. C. F. Gosling.....	Jheeghun.
Captain (Major)	C. H. Harrisson.....	Kubrai. Banda. Relief of Kirwee. Punwarree. Kentee.
Lieutenant	C. W. Crump, (<i>the late</i> .)	Mutiny at Benares. Relief of Lucknow. Operations during siege of Lucknow. Occupation of Alum Bagh.
2d Captain (Major)	G. G. Pearse.....	Narnool. Munnihur. Sheopore Ghat.
"	L. F. C. Thomas.....	Defence of Lucknow. Operations during siege of Lucknow. Occupation of Alum Bagh.
2d Captain	E. M. Playfair.....	Komoghat. Moondah. Sohajpore.
Lieutenant	R. C. Henchy.....	Gawilghur.
"	St. J. C. Shawe.....	Kentee.

A. O. 27th September 1859.—I. The following extract from the Proceedings of the Madras Government is published for general information.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter.

From the Adjutant General of the Army Fort St. George, 30th August 1859, No. 943; to the Secretary to Government Military Department.

* No. 219 of 14th March 1851.
Forwarding a letter from the Commandant of Artillery, and recommending that the donations and subscriptions due by Officers of the Army generally, absent in Europe, be deducted from their pay bills, and remitted periodically to India.

With reference to letter as per margin,* I have the honor, by or-

der of the Commander in Chief, to state that the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has represented that the following sum is now due to the Band Fund of that Regiment by Colonels in Europe.

Due by Colonels on furlough.....	Rs. 4833	8	4
Due by <i>the late</i> General Clarke.....	„ 1217	4	8
do. do. Morrison...	„ 230	0	10
		<u>6280-13-10</u>	

2. As the amount thus held at the debit of those Officers is increasing monthly, and there is little prospect of its being realized, the Brigadier recommends that it be struck off the accounts altogether; and further says that the assistance of Colonels in Europe is not required to maintain the Band Fund of the Regiment.

3. In submitting this matter to Government, Lieutenant General Sir Patrick Grant desires me to say that, in his opinion, not only should this sum be finally written off, but Colonels in Europe should be considered as exempted from any such demands.

Order No 3255, 12th September 1859.

The Governor in Council observes that by the late Court's Despatch to the Government of India dated 15th May 1850, No 51, Colonels of Regiments were not intended to be in-

Referred to in Military letter to Madras
No. 84 dated 24th November 1852 para. 25.

cluded as chargeable for Band subscription while on furlough in Europe,—

His Honor in Council can therefore see no objection to the measure proposed in the foregoing letter from the Adjutant General of the Army, it being left optional with Officers so situated to pay subscription in support of the Band, or not, as they may be inclined.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. HAMILTON, Lieutenant Colonel,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

2. With reference to the foregoing, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that, on obtaining permission to return to Europe, Colonels will intimate to the Treasurer of the Band Fund whether or not it be their wish to pay subscriptions in support of the Band during their absence. Should no such intimation be received, it will be concluded that Officers are *not* disposed to continue payments while in Europe.

ARRIVALS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
8th Sept.	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) E. Amsinck,	Rangoon.	Madras.
10th "	Lt. Col. W. H. Miller.	Neilgherries	St. Thomas' Mount.
15th "	" K. J. L. Mackenzie,	Secunderabad	"
15th "	" W. M. D. Wright,	"	"
16th "	" J. Ketchen.	Bangalore	Madras.
" "	" J. F. Pierson,	"	"

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
24th Sept.	Lt. C. W. Brereton,	Singapore	Madras.
28th „ „	2d Captain G. C. Robinson,	Europe	„

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
15th Sept.	Captain A. Stewart, Commy. of Ordnance. }	Madras	Masulipatam.
22d „	Brigadier E. Amsinck,	„	Trichinopoly.
5th „	Lieut. T. W. Roberts, }	St. Thomas' Mount	Bangalore.
„ „	J. H. Gleig,		

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
13th Sept.	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col). E. Amsinck.—	To act as Brigadier of the 2d Class during the absence on leave of Brigadier Carpenter, or until further orders.
13th „	Lieut. J. W. Watkins, „ A. P. Bainbridge, }	Appointed to accompany the Detachment of Europeans pro- ceeding to England for dis- charge on the “Tartar.”
30th „	Major J. L. Barrow, „ J. D. Mein, „ R. Cadell, }	To be Lieutenant Colonels, by Brevet, from 20th July 1858. To be Lieut. Colonel, by Brevet, from 26th April 1859.
	Captain C. H. Harrison,—	To be Major, by Brevet, from 20th July 1858.
	„ G. G. Pearse, „ L. Bridge, }	To be Majors, by Brevet, from 26th April 1859.
28th „	Lieut. D. D. Anderson,—	Appointed to do duty with dis- charged Soldiers proceeding to England.
	„ H. P. Lane.—	Appointed to do duty with the Horse Brigade Artillery, during the absence in Europe on medical certificate of Lieutenant B. L. Gordon, or until further orders.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859						
14th Sep	Ag. Brigr. E. Amsinck	.....	.....	.....	.....	Posted to Trichinopoly.
19th "	Lt. Col. (Bt. Colonel) E. Amsinck	.....	3d	.....	5th	
	Lt. Col. (Bt. Colonel) J. W. Croggan	.....	5th	.....	3rd	
	2d Capt. J. B. Swete	B. H. B. d. d. under Officer Comg. Artillery in Mysore.		A. H. B. do duty Recruit Depot Mount.		To join forthwith.
	Lieut. W. Froeth					To join.
23d "	E. Troop H. A. (2 Guns.)	Banda.		Bangalore		
	F. Troop H. A.	Saugor.		Secunderabad		
	C. Compy. 5th Battal. on Artillery	Nagode.		Mount		by Sea from Calcutta to Madras.

LEAVE OF ABSENE IN INDIA.

1859	<i>Names</i>	<i>Where and Remarks</i>
10th Septr.	Lieut. Col. W. H. Miller, Commandant Arty. Recruit Depôt.	The unexpired portion of the leave of absence on medical certificate granted in G. O. C. C. 31st May 1859 is cancelled, from the date on which he may join the Recruit Depôt.
20th "	Lieutenant F. S. Budd.—Neilgherries, S. C. in continuation	till 15th February 1860.
27th "	" A. P. Bainbridge,—Madras S. C. in continuation	from 31st August to 13th September 1859.
30th "	Captain T. H. Campbell, Comy. of Ordce. Bangalore.	The privilege leave of absence granted from 5th October to 5th November 1859, is cancelled at that Officer's request.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
30th Septr.—	Lieut. Col. W. M. Gabbett, Lieutenant C. R. Buckle.	Leave extended for six months.

RETIRING PENSIONS OF LIEUTENANT COLONELS OF ARTILLERY AND ENGINEERS.

G. O. G. No. 395, 11th October 1959.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 23d September 1859.

No. 1329 of 1859.—The following paragraph of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 262, of the 4th August 1859, is published for general information :—

In reference to the question raised by the Government of Bombay, it has been decided that Lieutenant Colonels of Artillery and Engineers, under the new organization retiring after twenty-two years' service under

Letter, dated 8th January 1859, No. 1.

Submit for decision a question raised by the Government of Bombay, whether all Lieutenant-Colonels of Artillery and Engineers, under the new organization, are entitled to the Pension of their rank after twenty-five years' service, twenty-two of which have been passed in India.

the Regulations of 1796 and Section XXXII, of the new Furlough Regulations, shall be entitled to retiring Pension of the rank corresponding with the pay which they are entitled to draw at the date of retirement ; thus a Lieutenant Colonel retiring while in receipt of Major's pay will be restricted to the retiring Pension of a Major.

QUALIFICATIONS OF OFFICERS TO TAKE COMMAND &c. OF EUROPEANT RECRUITS TO BE ENTERED AT FOOT OF ALL APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE TO EUROPE.

G. O. C. C. No. 103, 12th October 1859.—The attention of Officers Commanding Regiments, is called to *G. O. C. C. No. 21*, dated 13th May 1857, requiring a note to the following effect to be entered at the foot of all applications for final or preparatory leave to Europe for Officers under their Command :

“ the above Officer is considered qualified to take Command of drafts of European Recruits.

or

“ — to do duty with European Recruits.”

or

“ — is not qualified to Command or do duty with European Recruits.”

2. On all occasions of Officers absent from their Regiments *on ordinary leave of absence in India* or *on Staff employ* obtaining final or preparatory leave in General Orders to proceed to Europe, an immediate report of their qualifications to Command or do duty with European Recruits on return to India, is to be made in one or other of the above terms by the *Officer Commanding their Regiment*, to the Adjutant General of the Army.

SELECTION FOR COMMANDS IN INDIA APPLICABLE ALIKE
TO BOTH HER MAJESTY'S BRITISH AND INDIAN FORCES.

G. O. G. No. 408, 21st October 1859.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 7th October 1859.

No. 1379 of 1859.—Under instructions from Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Governor General in Council notifies the cancelment of the Government General Order No. 439, of the 26th May 1853,* under which a Senior Officer of Her Majesty's Service arriving in India supersedes a Junior Officer of the same Service holding a Brigade or Divisional Command, and His Excellency directs that the Rule of Selection for Commands in India shall henceforth apply alike to both Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces.

In carrying this rule into effect, it is notified that, while the interests of the Public Service must be paramount, the departure from Seniority will only take place when adherence to it would be prejudicial to the Service.

* Madras G. O. G. 10th June 1853, No. 114.

**SUBSIDIARY ORDERS WITH REFERENCE TO THE ARTILLERY
RECRUIT DEPOT AT SAINT THOMAS' MOUNT.**

G. O. C. C. No. 107, 19th October 1859.—The following Subsidiary Orders are published with reference to the Artillery Recruit Depot at St. Thomas' Mount, sanctioned in *G. O. C. C. No. 74, 6th August 1859.*

1, The Recruit Depot has for its object the drilling and instruction of every young Officer and Recruit on their first arrival in the Country.

2. All young Officers and Recruits therefore, on first arrival from England, will be sent to the Depot and do duty with it until reported by the Officer Commanding fit for the general duties of the Regiment.

3. Recruits on joining will receive a General Number as at present, but will not be posted to the Horse Brigade or Battalions till reported thoroughly fit to perform all the duties of an Artillery man, Horse or Foot.

4. The course of drill to be gone through by all is that at present in use, according to the last received Editions of various Books of instruction for mounted and foot Soldiers.

5. Selections for the Horse Brigade will be made from the men under the orders of the Brigadier Commandant of Madras Artillery; and no man is to be posted to that Corps whose fitness for it has not been well ascertained in the Riding School.

6. Carbines as for a Reserve Company, and Swords as for a Horsed Battery, with accoutrements of the new pattern, are allowed for the Dépôt.

7. One Hundred Horses for the Dépôt will be drafted from the C. Troop Horse Artillery and Horse Batteries at Bangalore and re-placed by a like number from the Remount Establishment at Oosoor.

INTRODUCTION IN ARMY SCHOOLS OF CERTAIN VERNACULAR BOOKS IN THE ROMAN CHARACTER.

G. O. C. C. No. 108, 22d October 1859.—With reference

* *G. O. G. 23rd March 1855, No. 82.*

37. To enable the Soldiers to qualify themselves in the Native language, for situations in Native Regiments and in the several Departments, a Hindoostanee Class may be established in each Army School, to be under charge of the Regimental Moonshee, who for this extra duty, will be allowed Rupees (10) ten per mensem, in addition to his ordinary pay. When the services of the Regimental Moonshee cannot be made available for the purpose, a Moonshee will be specially allowed for the charge of the School, on a salary not exceeding Rupees (30) thirty per mensem.

to para 37 of the Army School Regulations,* the Hon'ble the Governor in Council has sanctioned the introduction of the following Vernacular Books in the Roman character for the use of the Hindoostanee class, viz :—

1. "An easy introduction to Hindoostanee" by Monier Williams and Cotton Mather.

2. "English and Hindoostanee Dictionary Romanized," sold at the Government Central Book Depôt, Vepery.

3. "Romanized Hindoostanee and English Dictionary" by Brice.

2. Officers Commanding European Corps in indenting for Hindoostanee Books for Army Schools, will *for the present* confine their requisitions to the above works.

REGULATING THE CHARGE OF RENT WHEN TWO OR MORE OFFICERS ARE QUARTERED IN ONE APARTMENT.

G. O. G. No. 414, 28th October 1859.—The following Circular from the Government of India, is published in General Orders.

Circular from the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Fort William, 27th September 1859.

His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that, when two or more Officers are quartered in one apartment, the rent to be charged to each be reduced proportionately, so that the aggregate payments, of all the Officers quartered together, shall not exceed the ordinary full rent of the quarters.

ISSUE OF HOONSOOR MADE BOOTS TO EUROPEAN TROOPS OF H. M.'S INDIAN ARMY.

G. O. C. C. No. 110, 31st October 1859.—It is notified that Government have authorised as a temporary arrangement, (pending any modification in the Clothing Regulations which may be made by the Government of India,) the issue of 2 pairs of Hoonsoor made Boots to European Troops of H. M.'s Indian Army, entitled to receive one pair of Boots annually under the Army Clothing Regulations.

A. O. 10th October 1859.—I. Under instructions from Army Head Quarters, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified that *G. O. C. C. No. 73 of 2d August 1859*, is not intended to affect, in the most remote degree, the existing Regulations applicable to European Soldiers of the Indian Army.

A. O. 11th October 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, with the concurrence of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, is pleased to sanction Officers who have provided themselves with Royal Artillery Horse appointments continuing to make use of them.

ARRIVALS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
— Octr.	Capt. T. H. Campbell,	Bangalore	Madras.
3d „	Lieut. W. Freeth,	„	St. Thomas' Mount.
12th „	2d Captain A. H. Dawson,	Rangoon	Madras.
26th „	Lieut. C. H. A. Gower,	Neilgherries	St. Thomas' Mount.
29th „	„ H. L. Dempster,	Bangalore	Madras.

DEPARTURES.

1859	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
8th Octr.	Lieut. W. M. D. Wright,	Madras	Rangoon.
10th „	„ J. W. Watkins,	„	Europe.
	„ A. P. Bainbridge,		
12th „	„ W. E. Childers,	St. Thomas' Mount	Canranore.
24th „	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) J. W. Croggan,	Madras	Rangoon.
27th „	2d Captain A. H. Dawson,	„	Europe.
29th „	Lieut. J. F. Pierson,	„	„

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
5th Octr.	Lieut. W. B. S. Lloyd,	To be Depy. Commr. of Toungoo.

	Names.	To.
1859.		
7th Oct.	Lieut. C. E. Watson,	To officiate as Assistant Commr. 2d Class in the Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces.
21st „	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) J. W. Croggan, } 3d Battalion Artillery. }	Appointed to Command the Details proceeding per "Sydney" to Rangoon.
24th „	Lieut. J. F. Pierson,—	Appointed to do duty with the Troops proceeding to England in the "Seringapatam" under the command of Captain Pearce of the 2d European L. I.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859.						
1st Octr.	2d Capt. J. F. A. Mc.Nair.	B.	5th	A.	4th	Staff duty.
	„ H. D. Gloag.....	D.	5th	A.	5th	{ To join at the Mount on being relieved by Lieut. Childers.
	Lieut. E. W. Childers.....	A.	4th	D.	5th	To join at Cannanore.
8th „	„ H. P. Lane..... } D. Comy. 3d Battn. Arty. }	.....	.....	d.d.	H. B.	{ To join the F. Troop on its arrival at Kamp-tee and in the mean time to do duty with D. Troop Horse Arty.
	Lieut. D. V. Shortland... }	Doing duty 1st Battalion	.....	A.	1st	{ To join at Singapore.
	„ The Hon'ble H. S. O'Grady..... }	Doing duty under Officer Comg. Arty. in Mysore.	.....	B.	2nd	{ To join at Secunderabad on being dismissed the Riding School.
10th „	„ W. H. Caine..... } D. Comg. 3d Battn. Arty. }	.....	.....	d.d.	H. B.	{ During the absence in Europe of Lieut. Milman, or until further orders.
13th „	2d Capt. G. G. Pearse.....	B.	3d	B.	2nd	Europe S. C. (Staff duty)
	„ G. Dangerfield....	B.	2d	B.	2nd	{ To join on being relieved from present appointment.
	„ M. C. Lawson.....	B.	H. B.	A.	H. B.	To join forthwith.
	Lieut. G. Haggard..... } C. Comy. 3d Battn. Arty. }	.....	.....	Do duty Recruit Depot Mount.	.....	To join.
19th „	Lieut. R. A. Baker.....	D.	H. B.	F.	H. B.	{ To join at Secunderabad when relieved from his appointment in the Hyderabad Contingent.
	„ J. C. Taylor.....	d.d.	H. B.	E.	H. B.	{ Now with the 4 E. Troop in the Saugor Division.
	„ F. H. Thompson.....	d.d.	H. B.	D.	H. B.	
31st „	Capt. J. D. Scott.....	D.	2d	D.	1st	
	Captain. (Bt. Major) C. H. Harrison.....	D.	1st	C.	2nd	To join forthwith at Trichinopoly.
	2d Capt. G. C. Robinson....	C.	2d	D.	1st	{ To join at Rangoon by first opportunity.
	„ E. M. Playfair.....	C.	1st	C.	2nd	{ To be affected from date on which Capt. Scott may be relieved by Bt. Mj. Harrison.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
21st Octr.	2d Capt. A. H. Dawson,—	Presidency, S. C., from 22d September 1859, to obtain a final medical certificate for leave to Europe.
25th „	Lieut. H. L. Dempster,—	Presidency, S. C. to obtain a final medical certificate to proceed to Europe.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
25th Octr.	2d Capt. A. H. Dawson,—	On medical certificate under the old regulations of 1854, and to embark from Bombay.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.		
29th Octr.	Lieut. C. C. Saxton.—	Madras—Creditable progress. The Moonshee allowance to be disbursed to Lieutenant Saxton.
	Lieut. S. Penny,	} Passed the examination prescribed for Officers of Companies.
	„ H. P. T. MacCarthy.	

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

7th October 1859.

14th September 1859.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, appointing 2d Captain G. Dangerfield of the 2d Battalion doing duty 1st Battalion, to act as Adjutant of the Artillery Recruit Depot Mount until the arrival of Lieutenant D. D. Anderson, or until further orders.

25th October 1859.

13th October 1859.—By the senior Officer in charge of Head Quarters 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing 2d Captain J. M. Macintyre, to the charge from the 13th October 1859 of the Office of the Quarter Master of the Battalion without prejudice to his duties as Adjutant, vice Lieut. E. W. Childers relieved and during the absence of Lieut. and Quarter Master J. W. Watkins on duty to England, or until further orders.

REGULATING THE DISTANCE OF THE REAR RANK ON OCCASIONS OF TROOPS MARCHING PAST.

G. O. C. C. No. 111, 4th November 1859.—The Commander in Chief directs the publication of the following Memorandum dated Horse Guards, 19th July 1859, No. 181, for observance in this Army.

Horse Guards 19th July 1859.

Memorandum No. 181.

“ His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief desires that on all occasions when Troops march past, except when the Ranks are open in slow time, the Rear Rank will lock up to 21 inches from the Front Rank; when the marching past is concluded, the Rear Rank will resume its proper distance from the Front Rank.”

ELIGIBILITY OF OFFICERS OF THE EAST INDIA COMPANY'S ARMIES TO HOLD THE APPOINTMENT OF ADJUTANT TO A REGIMENT OF MILITIA.

G. O. G. No. 428, 8th November 1859.—The following Extracts from Military Despatches from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, are published.

Despatch dated 30th September 1859 No. 140.

1. Some time since the question as to the eligibility of Officers of the East India Company's Armies, to hold the appointment of Adjutant to a Regiment of Militia, was brought under the consideration of the Secretary of State for War, and it was stated in reply, that, on the first convenient occasion, care would be taken to provide for the admission of Service in the East India Company's Army as a qualification for this appointment.

2. I have now the gratification of informing you that, in an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, Cap 38, further amending the Laws relating to the Militia, a clause has been introduced assimilating the provisions of the Laws of Great Britain and Ireland in regard to such appointments, and rendering Service in the Army of the East India Com-

pany and in Her Majesty's Indian Army, or in either of them, as equivalent to Service in Her Majesty's Regular Army.

REGULATING THE STAFF PAY TO BE DRAWN BY STAFF OFFICERS TEMPORARILY REMANDED TO THEIR REGIMENTS IN CONSEQUENCE OF EMPLOYMENT ON FIELD OR FOREIGN SERVICE.

G. O. G. No. 432, 8th November 1859.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is re-published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 21st October 1859.

No. 1442 of 1859.—The Hon'ble the President in Council, with the concurrence of His Excellency the Governor General, is pleased to direct that a Staff Officer who is eligible to half Staff pay during leave, an Officer of the Public Works Department, a Commandant, Second in Command or Adjutant of an Irregular or Local Corps, when temporarily remanded to his own Regiment in consequence of its employment on Field or Foreign Service, or on account of its being re-organized or a new Corps formed, shall be entitled to draw the half Staff salary of his appointment or so much of that moiety, as together with any Staff pay or Regimental Command Allowance he may be entitled to with the Corps, shall not exceed the full Staff salary of his substantive appointment.

The Officer officiating in the appointment will be entitled to the moiety only of the Staff pay forfeited by the Officer when so temporarily remanded to Regimental duty.

ORDER FOR SNAPPING CAPS APPLICABLE TO CORPS ARMED WITH ENFIELD RIFLES.

G. O. C. C. No. 112, 8th November 1859.—With reference to G. O. C. C. 7th September 1859, No. 85, the Com-

mander in Chief directs it to be notified that the order for snapping Caps applies to Corps armed with the Enfield Rifles and not to such as have the smooth bore musket.

CASES WHERE A CAPITAL SENTENCE IS AWARDED BY COURTS MARTIAL TO BE REFERRED FOR THE ORDERS OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF.

G. O. G. No. 436, 11th November 1859.—The Governor in Council directs that in all cases, where Offences are tried by Courts Martial under the provisions of Acts VIII, XI and XIV of 1857, of the Legislative Council of India, the Proceedings of every Trial, shall, when a capital Sentence has been awarded, be referred for the Orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

THE SENIOR OFFICER AT STATIONS TO ASSUME COMMAND, AND REGULATING THE SELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE SITUATION OF STATION STAFF OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 438, 11th November 1859.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is re-published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 28th October 1859.

No. 1460 of 1859.—The Hon'ble the President in Council, with the concurrence of His Excellency the Governor General, is pleased to cancel the Rule now in force at the three Presidencies, under which at all Stations, not the Head Quarters of a permanent Brigadier, where two Regiments of the Line may be cantoned, the Officer exercising, in virtue of his seniority, the Command of the Station makes over the Command of his own Corps to the next Senior Regimental Officer, and draws a command Allowance of Rupees (500) five hundred, with Rupees (20) twenty for Stationery.

In future the Senior Officer at all Stations where there is no General Officer or Brigadier, or from which the General Officer or Brigadier may be temporarily absent on duty within his Division or District, will assume Command of the Station, retaining Command of his own Regiment; but he will have no title to any additional allowance for the Command of the Station.

The Hon'ble the President in Council is also pleased, with the concurrence of His Excellency, to direct that, at the fixed Stations where in place of a Brigade Major a Station Staff Officer may be specially allowed, a Captain or experienced Subaltern Officer from one of the Corps composing the Garrison may be selected for the situation.

The allowance to be drawn by the Officer so appointed will be, if the Force consists of less than two Regiments, Rupees (60) sixty per mensem, and if of more than two Regiments, Rupees (110) one hundred and ten per mensem.

These allowances are consolidated, and include all expenses on account of Writing and Stationery.

At other Stations where a Station Staff Officer may be required and is authorized, the duties will be performed by one of the Regimental Staff Officers, who will receive, if the Force be less than two Regiments, Rupees (25) twenty-five per mensem, including Writing and Stationery, and if more than two Regiments, an allowance of Rupees (60) sixty per mensem.

In calculating the strength of Garrisons and Stations, Irregular Corps will be computed as well as Corps of the Line.

These Orders are to be considered applicable to the three Presidencies.

SOLDIERS ALLOWED TO VOLUNTEER FROM A LINE REGIMENT INTO HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN FORCES PERMITTED TO COUNT PREVIOUS SERVICE.

G. O. G. No. 446, 15th November 1859.—The following Extract from a Military Despatch from the Right Hon'ble

the Secretary of State for India, is published in General Orders.

Despatch dated 7th October 1859, No. 150.

Para 3. It has lately been decided that Soldiers allowed to Volunteer from a Line Regiment into Her Majesty's Indian Forces, shall be permitted to count their previous service for pension in the Local Army—a similar indulgence will be conceded to men of good character, who having obtained their discharge from the Line Army, have enlisted within 12 months for Her Majesty's Indian Forces, declaring their previous Service, and producing their discharge Certificates.

FIXING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF GUN LASCARS ATTACHED TO BATTERIES OF ROYAL ARTILLERY AND BATTALIONS OF MADRAS ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 118, 17th November 1859.—Under instructions from Government, the detail of Havildars and Gun Lascars attached to Batteries of Royal Artillery, is reduced from 2 Havildars 20 Gun Lascars and 1 Bheasty, to 1 Havildar, 12 Gun Lascars and 1 Bheasty per Battery.

2. The establishment of each of the Gun Lascar Companies attached to the four European Battalions of Madras Artillery, is accordingly fixed as follows, in supercession of that given in para 3 of *G. O. C. C. No. 69*, dated 21st July 1859, and in excess of the establishment now ordered, being borne as Supernumeraries, until absorbed by casualties: viz.

1 Subadar.

1 Jemadar.

4 Havildars.

60 Gun Lascars.

4 Bheasties.

} With 1 Havildar, 12 Gun Lascars
and 1 Bheasty additional for each two
Companies of Gun Lascars, their post-

ing being regulated by the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery.

**ALLOTMENT OF AMMUNITION TO BE CARRIED BY TROOPS
IN MOVEMENT.**

G. O. C. C. No. 120, 18th November 1859.—In modification of *G. O. C. C. 28th January 1858, No. 13*, the Commander in Chief directs that in future the allotment of Ammunition to be carried by Troops in movement, whether as Escorts or detachments or when moving only on ordinary relief, shall be the full complement which the Pouch (or Pouches) in use will contain: and it is also indispensable that there should be no charge of any description to Government on this account.

**GRATUITY PAYABLE TO MEN AFTER 12 YEARS SERVICE,
WITHOUT REFERENCE TO MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.**

G. O. C. C. No. 122, 22nd November 1859.—With the approval of Government, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified, that in assimilation with the practice obtaining in Bengal, Soldiers enlisted for unlimited service who have conducted themselves to the satisfaction of their Commanding Officers are entitled to the Gratuity payable to Men after 12 Years Service, without reference to their being Certified by a Medical Officer to be fit for further Service or not.

**REGULATING THE PRACTICE OF PROMOTING OFFICERS
TO THE RANK OF COLONEL IN HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN
FORCES.**

G. O. G. No. 459, 29th November 1859.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is re-published for the information of the Army.

**GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF
THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.**

Fort William 15th November 1859.

No. 1537 of 1859.—The following paragraphs of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for

India, No. 279 of the 19th August 1859, are published for general information:—

Having submitted to the General Commanding-in-Chief

Letter from—, dated 3rd May 1859, No. 61, paragraph 1 to 10 relative to the promotion of Officers to the rank of Colonel under the operation of the Royal Warrants, dated 7th October 1854 and 14th October 1858.

Government in view to ascertain the practice in such cases in Her Majesty's British Army, I have received the following replies:—

Question.

1st Whether the period occupied by a Lieutenant Colonel in joining his Regiment or appointment after his return from leave beyond Sea should be reckoned in the qualifying period.

“ It is allowed that no deduction is made on

account of leaves of absence during the five years required to qualify a Lieutenant-Colonel for the promotion.

“ Several similar cases have occurred in Her Majesty's British Army, and it has been ruled that an Officer so cir-

2nd. Lieutenant-Colonel Leith of the Bombay Army completed three years in that rank on the 8th November 1858. He has been omitted from the promotions recently made in India, because the Warrant of October 1854 ceased to be in force after the 14th October 1858, the date of the new Warrant.

cumstanced must serve other two years to complete the period

of five years prescribed in the Warrant of October 1858, and no allowance of time is conceded with reference to the near completion of the three years under the Warrant of October 1854, when the new Warrant came into operation.”

2. The practice in promoting Officers to the rank of Colonel in Her Majesty's Indian Forces must be regulated accordingly.

A. O. 7th November 1859.—Many Reports, Returns, and other documents having of late been received at Artillery Head Quarters, which are either unnecessary in themselves, or have not been forwarded through the prescribed channel, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, in calling the attention of all Officers, (but more particularly those Commanding detachments,) to A. O. No. 18 of 1855 dated 20th March 1855, which contains the most minute instructions

to Officers Commanding Corps, Divisions, Troops, Companies, and detachments relating to nearly every description of Report and Return, required under nearly every variety of circumstances, hopes to avoid any further allusion to this subject.

A. O. 8th November 1859.—I. With reference to A. O. No. 2 of 1857, dated 17th February 1857, the following in-

<p>* Conveyed in letter No. 6639 dated 5th November 1859 from the Adjutant General of the Army.</p>

structions* for the preparation of the Annual Returns of Cast Horses &c., are published for

general information and guidance.

“ Form No. 1 should exhibit the number of Horses Cast and Dead; their total length of service; and shewing the average service at the foot.”

“ No. 2 should exhibit the number of Cast and Dead; with their average length of service.”

“ No. 3 should exhibit, in the 1st column the total number of Horses as they stood in the previous official year; the 2nd column should show Horses since supplied or purchased; and the 3rd column the total of the 1st and 2nd columns; the 4th column should shew the number of Horses Cast and Dead; and the 5th column the percentage of Horses Cast and Dead.”

“ Forms 1, 2, and 3, should correspond as to the actual number of Horses Cast and Dead; those Killed and Shown being included under the head “ Dead.”

2. Commanding Officers are directed to observe that Form No. 1 is hereafter to include Horses that may have “ Died,” as well as those “ Cast”;—the heading of this Form is accordingly to be amended by the words “ Horses Cast and Died” being substituted for “ Cast Horses.”

A. O. No. 9, 11th November 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery regrets to be obliged to notify in M. A. O. that, notwithstanding previous orders, and the

existence of distinct regulations, on the subject of removals and transfers of men from one station to another, they continue to arrive at the Mount without the necessary documents to enable Officers to adjust their claims, or draw pay for them; or in fact deal with them in any way with justice to the men themselves, or with due regard to the interests of Government.

2. It has been reported that very great inconvenience to the public service arises also from Prisoners for trial by Courts Martial, or punishment by Commanding Officer, being brought in without a paper of any kind; the absence of documents to show a man's previous history and character, prevents the proper administration of punishment on the one hand, and on the other deprives a well behaved man of the benefit of his former good conduct.

3. Attention is called to A. O. No. 15 of 1856, dated 4th September 1856, and Artillery General Regulations Section XLVII, Para. 7, and the Commandant must look to Officers Commanding particularly to see these Regulations strictly carried out;—whenever men arrive at, or depart from, stations, it is their imperative duty to ascertain, by enquiry, that all documents in connection with them have been received, or despatched, and to make a report, for the information of the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, whenever deviation from observance of the above regulations comes under their notice on such enquiry.

A. O. 14th November 1859.—I. The following addition to the Artillery Order of the 19th January 1859, under the head “**RULE 1,—WITHOUT BALLOT,**” is made and entered as para. 4.

4th. An exemption is however made in favour of the Royal Artillery Officers at the Presidency and the Mount, who, though they have a Mess, may be admitted, as a body of Officers, Honorary Members of the Mount Mess without Ballot.

A. O. 18th November 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery has much pleasure in publishing to the Regiment, the subjoined Extract from the Proceedings of Government, recording satisfaction at the loyal and spirited offer of the A. and 1st Supplemental Companies 5th Battalion of their services in China.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following:—

Memo. from the Adjutant General of the Army, Fort Saint George, 1st November 1859, No. 360.

The Commander-in-Chief has the honor to submit the within letter from the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, bringing to notice the very praiseworthy and Soldier-like conduct of both the 1st Supplemental Company and A. Company Golundauze Battalion in volunteering their services for China; and His Excellency feels assured that the excellent spirit evinced by these Companies will be fully appreciated by Government.

From the Brigadier Commandant Madras Artillery, Saint Thomas' Mount, 28th October 1859, No. 1369; to the Adjutant General of the Army, Fort Saint George.

I have the honor to request that you will bring to notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, that the 1st Supplemental Company of Golundauze Battalion Artillery have expressed their desire to be sent to China, should Troops be required for service in that quarter;—this Company was also exceedingly anxious to be employed in Bengal in the suppression of the mutinies, but were not required—In the present instance the Officer Commanding the Company (Lieutenant Marshall) states that the offer of the men to go to China originated with themselves, and was perfectly voluntary.

2. I take this opportunity of reporting, what I on a previous occasion brought to notice of the Quarter Master

General only in a Demi-Official form, that the A. Company of the Golundauze Battalion also requested that they might be sent to China the moment they heard of the disaster on the Peiho river some months ago, and particularly requested that their having only just returned from Foreign service might not be urged as a reason for not sending them now.

ORDER, No. 4037, 15th November 1859.

The Governor in Council has perused, with much satisfaction, the foregoing loyal and spirited offer, of the 2 Companies of Golundauze referred to, of their services in China, if required, and will have much pleasure in bringing the same to the notice of His Excellency the Governor General, and of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

2. Ordered that the following letter be dispatched.

<p><i>To the Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept., with the Governor General.</i></p>	}	<p>Here enter 15th No- vember 1859, No. 4038.</p>
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(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

A. O. No. 10, 19th November 1859.—V. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, with the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, and with reference to the orders marginally* noted, is pleased to notify that the lesson laid down in A. O. No. 1 of 1858, dated 19th January 1858, as that for Horsed Batteries in Riding Schools, is intended as the one for ordinary drill occasions, or at Inspection before the Reviewing Officer, for dismissed men; but it being manifestly impossible that a man can be taught to Ride properly, or keep up his Riding, if he never be permitted to go beyond a "Trot," it is open to Officers Commanding to sanction, for the purpose of instructing those under their command in equitation, a

* G. O. C. C. No. 71 dated 16th November 1857,
G. O. C. C. No. 51 dated 11th May 1858.

certain amount of Cantering and Galloping in the Riding School and on drill grounds, care being taken that the G. O. C. C. No. 71 of 1857 is observed as the rule for guidance.

ARRIVALS.

1859.	Names.	From.	At.
29th Oct.	2d Capt. H. Biden,	Europe	Bombay.
1st Nov.	Captain C. Desborough,	Rangoon	Madras.
	Lieut. J. Hoyes,		
	„ H. M. Finlay,		
10th „	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) G. Balfour, C. B.	Bombay	„
16th „	2d Capt. (Bt. Maj.) G. G. Pearse,	Europe	„
19th „	Lieut. W. R. C. Brough,	Bangalore	St. Thomas' Mount.
24th „	Capt. R. G. H. Grant,	Europe	Madras.
25th „	Lieut. W. Manderson,	Bellary	St. Thomas' Mount.
30th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. Babington,	Neilgherries	„

DEPARTURES.

1859.	Names.	From.	To.
2d Nov.	Lieut. I. Ketchen,	St. Thomas' Mount	Trichinopoly.
14th „	„ C. D. Straker,	Madras	Europe.
24th „	„ H. M. Finlay,	St. Thomas' Mount	Calcutta.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	Names.	To.
11th Nov.	Lieut. Col. F. Burgoyne,—To take rank from 20th July 1858.	
	„ G. W. Y. Simpson,—To take rank from the 23rd July 1858.	
12th „	Lieut. H. M. Finlay,	Appointed to do duty with discharged men of the Madras Artillery, ordered to embark for England at Calcutta, vice Lieutenant D. D. Anderson, appointed in G. O. C. C. of the 25th August 1859, Adjutant of the Artillery Recruit Depôt at the Mount.
25th „	Capt. (Bt. Major) C. J. Cooke,—Permitted at his own request, to resign his appointment of Acting Commissary of Ordnance, Trichinopoly, but will continue in charge of the Arsenal at that Station, until duly relieved.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859						
8th Nov.	2d Capt. C. Cameron...	E.	5th	A.	1st	To join at Singapore.
	" R. A. Peach..	A.	1st	E.	5th	
	Lieut. A. M. Rawlins..	B.	4th	A.	5th	To join.
24th "	Capt. (Bt. Major) J. Babington.....	{	.....	.....	.....	{ To join and do duty with
	D. Com. 4th Bn. Arty.	{	.....	.....	.....	{ Arty. Recruit Depôt at Saint
		{	.....	.....	.....	{ Thomas' Mount on the expi-
		{	.....	.....	.....	{ ration of his leave of absence.
30th "	Lieut. C. H. A. Gower.	{	.....	.....	.....	{ To do duty with the Arty.
	D. Com. 4th Bn. Arty.	{	.....	.....	.....	{ Recruit Depôt with effect
		{	.....	.....	.....	{ from the 2d November 1859.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
1st Nov.	Lieut. M. B. S. Lloyd,—	Privilege leave of absence for one month,
	Depy. Commr. of Tharawady.	commencing from the 12th
		August last.
3d "	Captain J. D. Scott,—	Presidency, preparatory to applying for
		furlough to Europe.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
14th Nov.	Lieut. C. D. A. Straker,—	On medical certificate for 18 months,
		and to embark from Madras.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.		
9th Novr.	Lieut. W. Wyndham—	Passed the examination prescribed for
		Officers of Companies.
29th "	Lieut. W. H. McCausland,—	Qualified for the General Staff
		under para. 11, G. O. C. C. 6th
		July 1853, No. 46. The Moonshee
		allowance to be disbursed to Lieute-
		nant W. H. McCausland.

SERVICES.

1859.		
22d Novr.	Lieut. P. St. G. Græme,—	Services placed at the disposal of
		the Government of India, Public
		Works Department.

SADDLE CONTRACT FUND.

DISTRIBUTION OF DIVIDENDS OF THE SADDLE CONTRACT FUND FOR 1858.

Horse Brigade.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Lieut. Col. F. Burgoyne, for the whole year.....	0	0	0	3115	5	0

No. 1 Horse Field Battery.

Lieut. R. Pope, from 1st May to 15th June 1858.	49	1	3			
Captain C. H. Harrison, 16th June to 22d Novr.						
1858	170	11	3			
Lieutenant C. Johnson, from 23rd November						
1858 to 29th January 1859.....	72	8	9			
Major R. Kinhead, from 30th January to 30th						
April 1859... ..	97	1	4			
				389	6	7

No. 2 Horse Field Battery.

Major G. S. Cotter, from 1st to 31st May 1858 ..	33	1	2			
2nd Captain G. G. Campbell, from 1st to 25th						
June 1858.....	26	10	9			
2nd Captain W. J. Bradford, from 26th June to						
27th August 1858.....	67	3	5			
Major R. Cadell, from 28th August 1858 to 30th						
April 1859.....	262	7	3			
				389	6	7

No. 3 Horse Field Battery.

Captain A. Stewart, from 1st May 1858 to 15th						
April 1859... ..	373	6	7			
Lieut. F. C. Trevor, from 16th to 25th April 1859.	10	10	8			
do. M. L. J. Monckton, from 26th to 30th						
April 1859... ..	5	5	4			
				389	6	7

No. 4 Horse Field Battery.

Captain F. W. Bond from 1st May 1858 to 23rd						
March 1859	348	13	11			
Lieut. H. M. Finlay from 24th March to 30th						
April 1859... ..	40	8	8			
				389	6	7

No. 5 Horse Field Battery.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Captain J. D. Scott, for the whole year		389 6 7

No. 7 Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain M. C. Lawson, from 1st to 11th May		
1858	11 11	9
Captain A. V. Falls, from 12th May 1858 to		
30th April 1859... ..	377 10 10	
		389 6 7

No. 8 Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain G. Carleton from 16th March to 30th		
April 1859... ..		97 5 8

No. 9 Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain C. L. Yeoman, from 1st May to 9th		
August 1858	107 12	9
Captain E. H. Couchman, from 10th August		
1858, to 22d March 1859... ..	240 0	9
Major G. Selby, from 23rd March to 30th April		
1859	41 9	9
		389 6 7

No. 10 Horse Field Battery.

2d Capt. O. M. J. Thornton, for the whole year.	389 6 7
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No. 11 Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain J. S. Baird, from 1st May 1858, to		
24th January 1859	143 7	11
Captain C. T. Collingwood, from 25th January		
to 30th April 1859	51 3	5
		194 11 4

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

12th November 1859.

15th October 1859.—By Major R. Kinkead, Commanding Madras Artillery Division at Banda, dated 7th Ultimo, appointing 2nd Captain R. G. F. Henegan, of the A. Troop Horse Brigade, to officiate as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the division, in addition to his other duties, during the absence of Lieutenant D. D. Anderson.

OFFICERS IN COMMAND OR CHARGE OF COMPANIES RESPONSIBLE FOR THE AMOUNT DRAWN AS RICE MONEY.

G. O. G. No. 464, 2nd December 1859.—In modification of Para. 1, "Responsibility" Page 35, and with reference to the Form of Abstract for Rice Money in Page 161, Pay and Audit Regulations, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that every Officer in Command or Charge of a Company signing the General Bill, shall be held directly responsible for the amount drawn by him as Rice Money for the men of his Company on the general bill of the Regiment, in the same manner as he is responsible for the amount of the regular monthly abstract of his Company.

SCALE OF DONATIONS ON PROMOTION TO MESS AND BAND FUNDS.

G. O. G. No. 471, 6th December 1859.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, in modification of the Para. 10, *G. O. G. 12th April 1850, No. 64.* Order of Government, noted in the margin, to sanction the payment by Officers on promotion, of Mess and Band Donations by Instalments, according to the Scale laid down in the accompanying Table.

BAND DONATION.

<i>Artillery.</i>	Amount of Donation.			Difference in promotion into each rank.			Number of Instalments.	Amount of each Instalment.		
Lieutenant, 2nd Class.....	39	0	0	0	0	0	12	3	4	0
ditto 1st ditto.....	46	0	0	7	0	0	1	7	0	0
2nd Captain.....	81	0	0	35	0	0	7	5	0	0
Captain.....	91	0	0	10	0	0	1	10	0	0
Lieut.-Colonel, 2nd Class....	120	0	0	29	0	0	3	9	10	8
ditto 1st ditto....	160	0	0	40	0	0	4	10	0	0
Colonel,.....	200	0	0	40	0	0	4	10	0	0

MESS DONATION,



<i>Artillery.</i>	Donation on entering the Mess.	Donation on promotion.	Number of Instalments.	Amount of each Instalment.
Colonel	0 0 0	60 0 0	6	10 0 0
Lieut.-Colonel, 1st Class,...	0 0 0	60 0 0	6	10 0 0
ditto 2nd ditto.....	0 0 0	42 0 0	7	6 0 0
Captain	0 0 0	16 0 0	3	5 5 4
Surgeon	140 0 0	70 0 0	7	10 0 0
2nd Captain.....	0 0 0	54 0 0	9	6 0 0
Lieutenant, 1st Class.....	0 0 0	10 0 0	2	5 0 0
ditto 2nd ditto.....	60 0 0	0 0 0	6	10 0 0
Assistant Surgeon.....	70 0 0	0 0 0	7	10 0 0
Veterinary Surgeon.....	70 0 0	0 0 0	7	10 0 0

**FREE KIT OR KIT MONEY IN ADDITION TO BOUNTY ON
RE-ENLISTMENT.**

G. O. C. C. No. 130, 3rd December 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 364*, dated 20th September 1859, republishing an order of the Government of India extending to *H. M.'s Indian Army* the provisions of a War Office Circular on the subject of the issue of a free Kit or Kit money to European Soldiers on re-enlistment after the expiration of their first period of Service, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that it has been decided that such free Kit or Kit money is in addition to Bounty.

**SASHES OF STAFF SERJEANTS AND SERJEANTS OF IN-
FANTRY HOW TO BE WORN.**

G. O. C. C. No. 135, 12th December 1859.—The Commander-in-Chief directs that the instructions contained in the following General Order by the Right Honorable the Commander-in-Chief in India, dated Head Quarters, Camp Cawnpore, 2d November 1859, be observed in the European portion of Her Majesty's Indian Army of this Presidency.

Under instructions from Government, the Commander-in-Chief directs that the following Circular Memo. from the Horse Guards, No. 165 of the 30th April last, shall be made applicable to the European portion of Her Majesty's Indian Army.

" His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief directs that the Sashes of the Staff Serjeants and Serjeants of Infantry may invariably be worn as follows: viz.

" The Sash to be doubled longitudinally, and passed over the Right Shoulder, under the Shoulder strap; the runner to be level with the waistbelt; the ends of the tassels to be level, and not to hang below the Skirt of the Tunic."

DESCRIPTION ROLL TO BE PREPARED ON OCCASIONS OF MEN SENTENCED TO TRANSPORTATION, PENAL SERVICE, OR IMPRISONMENT.

G. O. C. C. No. 136. 12th December 1859.—The Commander-in-Chief directs the following to be substituted for para 44 and the forms at pages 450-51 of the General Regulations.

Books to be corrected accordingly.

44.—On all occasions of confirmed sentences of Transportation, Penal Servitude, or imprisonment for felonious conduct being promulgated in General Orders, the Officer Commanding the Corps or the Head of the Department to which the offender may belong will prepare a Descriptive Roll in accordance with the following Form.

Form.

Roll of a Soldier of the——Regiment of———who has been sentenced to Transportation, Penal Servitude, or imprisonment.

Station and Date.

Troop or Company,	Rank, Name and Number.	Crime.	Sentence.	When and where tried.	Whether he can read and write.	Single, Married, or Widower.	Former Occupation or Trade.	Whether before convicted or transported and how often.	Character and behaviour.	Years.	Months.	Feet.	Inches.	Height.	Complexion.	Color of Eyes.	Whether he has any particular marks.

Examined _____ Lieutenant Colonel,
 _____ Adjutant Commanding _____ Regiment.

The Roll is to be given to the Non-Commissioned Officer of the Guard appointed to escort the prisoner to the Presidency, to be delivered over with him to the Adjutant General of the Army, or of Her Majesty's British Troops, according to the Service to which the prisoner may belong—European Soldiers under the sentences specified in the preceding paragraph are to be struck off the Rolls and discharged, in the usual form, from the date of their delivery to the Civil Power.

**FORM OF REGISTER OF NEXT OF KIN TO BE FURNISHED
 IN ADDITION TO OTHER DOCUMENTS CONNECTED WITH
 THE ESTATES OF MILITARY PERSONS.**

G. O. G. No. 489. 20th December 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G. 22nd April 1851, No. 79, Section II, Paragraph 20*, the Honorable the Governor in Council directs that, in addition to other documents connected with the Estates of Military persons dying intestate, a Register in the following Form, affording all information procurable, regarding the next of kin (whether in this Country or elsewhere) be in all cases furnished to the Military Secretary to Government.

2. A Copy of such Registers should also be sent to the Officers in charge of Treasuries, whenever deposits on account of Military Estates are made,—for transmission with the Register of Deposits to the Accountant General, in view to the information being entered in the Column of remarks of that Officer's monthly Statement of Deposits published in the Fort St. George Gazette.

Register of next of kin of ——— Regiment ———

Degree of relationship.	Names.	*Age.			Address of each.	Remarks.
		Y.	M.	D.		

* In case of Children or other next of kin who are minors.

GRANT OF FURLOUGH TO EUROPE TO EUROPEAN NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 491, 23rd December 1859.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is re-published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 9th December 1859.

No. 1636 of 1859.—The following paragraphs of a Military letter, from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 373, of the 20th October 1859, are published for general information :—

30. In a few cases, however, to be separately and especially considered, the grant of

Letter dated 17th June 1859, No. 82.

On the subject of granting Furlough to Europe to the European Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Army, advantage being taken of their services to proceed with Invalids and to return with Recruits.

Furlough to Non-Commissioned Officers of standing in the Service, of irreproachable character, and whose health requires a

change of climate, will not be objected to.

31. The Non-Commissioned Officers who may obtain this indulgence, will invariably be posted to do duty with Invalids or Time-expired men on passage to Europe; on arrival they will report themselves at the India House, and will be allowed a short leave to visit their friends in England, after which they will be available to return to India with drafts. It will be clearly explained to them that such are the conditions on which they obtain Furlough.

INTERVAL BETWEEN DISCHARGE AND RE-ENLISTMENT, WHICH ADMITS OF PREVIOUS SERVICE BEING COUNTED.

G. O. G. No. 495, 27th December 1859.—With reference to *G. O. G.* dated 15th November 1859, No. 446, the following Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published in General Orders.

Despatch dated 17th November 1859, No. 168.

With reference to the 3d Paragraph of my Military Despatch, dated 7th October 1859, No. 150, I have to apprise you that the interval between discharge and re-enlistment which does not debar the Soldier from counting previous service should be six (6) months, instead of 12 months, as inadvertently stated in that Despatch.

BOON OF TWO YEARS' SERVICE CONFERRED ON MEN OF HER MAJESTY'S EUROPEAN LOCAL FORCES HOW TO BE CALCULATED.

G. O. G. No. 504, 30th December 1859.—The following

General Order by His Excellency the Governor General of India, is republished.

**GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA.**

The 7th December 1859.

No. 36 of 1859.—With reference to General Order by His Excellency the Governor-General, dated the 12th of October 1859, it is hereby notified for general information, that the boon of two years' service conferred on those men of Her Majesty's European Local Forces, who did not take their discharge under the Government General Order, No. 883, of the 20th of June last, is applicable to all Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of the Local Forces, without exception. But the boon is to be applied solely in calculating the length of service of any man as a Soldier, and is not to be reckoned towards the completion of fixed periods for promotion in Departments or for enhancement of retiring Pensions, or towards Good Conduct Pay, or claim to Gratuity and Medal, or any other advantage for the obtainment of which actual service is necessary.

Illustration.—Warrant Officers of Departments are admitted to Retiring Pension after the undermentioned periods of service, *viz* :—

27	Years effective	12	Years as Warrant Officer.
25	service in India	14	Officiating Warrant Officer, or
22	including	17	Soldier in the Department to
			which they belong, counting
			from date of transfer from
			Corps to Department.

A Warrant Officer who has served twenty-five years in the Army, and twelve in a Department may claim the Pension, because the boon gives him the two years deficient in his

Army service, but a Warrant Officer who has served twenty-seven years in the Army, and ten years in a Department, cannot claim the Pension, by adding the boon to the latter, because the addition of the boon of two years is not applicable to service in a Department, but in the Army exclusively.

A. O. 7th December 1859.—I. In notifying, for general information, that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief has

• Letter No. 7195, dated 30th November 1859, from the Adjutant General of the Army.

authorized* the Commandant of Artillery to make all future promotions in the sub-

ordinate grades attached to the Artillery Depôt of Instruction with reference to G. O. C. C. No. 119 dated 17th ultimo, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be understood that the appointment (permanently) in Artillery Orders of a man to that establishment, removes him from the strength of his Battalion.

A. O. No. 11, 15th December 1859.—IV. Doubts appearing to exist as to whether an Officer being employed on Artillery Division Court Martial duty is exempted from attendance at Regimental Parades, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery desires it to be understood, that such being a purely Regimental duty, it confers no title to exemption from any Parade with which it does not actually interfere.

A. O. No. 12, 15th December 1859.—V. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that when Non-Commissioned Officers and others are remanded from detached employ, and permanent promotions have, under the provisions of Minutes of Consultation No. 2194 dated 3rd August 1855, been made in their room, they shall return to the Troop or Company to which they originally belonged, and be brought on the strength of it on the first opportunity.

2. In the mean time they must be posted to the Troop or Company of their old Corps in which a vacancy may first

take place, so that any extra charge to Government may be avoided.

3. Men remanded, not at their own request or for misconduct, take their place in the Seniority roll as though they had never left the Corps.

4. Staff Non-Commissioned Officers detached as above lose their appointments; and, on being remanded, return to the Regiment as Non-Commissioned Officers only, according to the date of their rank and under the above rules.

A. O. 17th December 1859.—II. Under instructions from Army Head Quarters, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs that the Waist Belt be invariably worn over the Dress and Khakee Tunic, and under the Stable or Shell Jacket; and, in conformity with the practice in the Royal Army, the Waist belt is to be worn under the Frock Coat.

A. O. 19th December 1859.—II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the publication, for general information and guidance, of the subjoined Circular Memoranda relative to the grant of Furlough to Europe to Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

No. 681.

MEMORANDUM.

The Commander in Chief directs it to be intimated to Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces that, in very special cases, Government is prepared, upon His Excellency's recommendation, to sanction the grant of Sick Furlough to England to European Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
17th May 1859.

(Signed) W. G. WOODS, Lt.-Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

No. 1424.

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM.

In continuation of Memorandum of the 17th May last, to

Restricted to leave on *Sick Certificate only*,
vide Memo No. 1800, 26th November
1859.

Officers Commanding
Divisions and Forces,
the Commander in

Chief directs it to be notified that Furlough, as well as Sick Furlough, to Europe will be granted, in very special cases, to well conducted and deserving Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, on the following conditions.

2. Furlough will be granted subject to the men reporting themselves, on arrival in London, at the India Office, for such orders as they may receive; and with the understanding that they cannot decline to take charge of Recruits, if ordered by the Secretary of State for India to do so.

3. Recommendations may be submitted at any period of the year, and the men will be provided with a passage to and from England. The applications are to be submitted, in duplicate, in the annexed Form, through the Station and Divisional authorities, and are to be accompanied by certificates of character signed by the Commanding Officer.

4. Non-Commissioned Officers to whom this Furlough is granted, must take with them their Regimental Clothing and necessaries.

5. Non-Commissioned Officers holding Staff appointments, proceeding to Europe on Furlough, will be entitled only to draw the pay of their grade, and any staff pay appertaining to their situations will lapse to their *locum tenens*.

6. Passage will be provided for the Families of the Non-Commissioned Officers obtaining Furlough to Europe.

Suspended for the present, vide Memo
No. 1893, 14th December 1859.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
20th September 1859.

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lt. Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

CIRCULAR.

No. 1800.

MEMORANDUM.

With reference to Circular Memorandum No. 1424 of the 20th September last, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that, under instructions from the Home Authorities, Furlough to Europe will be granted to Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces on *sick Certificate only*.

ADJUTANT GENERALS' OFFICE, }
 FORT SAINT GEORGE, }
 26th November 1859. }

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lt.-Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

CIRCULAR.

No. 1825.

MEMORANDUM.

The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified, that when Non-Commissioned Officers are recommended for Sick Furlough to Europe, the certificate granted by the Regimental Medical Officer should, in all practicable cases, be submitted for the confirmation of a Medical Board; and, when this cannot be done, it should be countersigned by the senior Medical authority of the Division or Station.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE, }
 FORT SAINT GEORGE, }
 2nd December 1859. }

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lt.-Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

CIRCULAR.

No. 1893.

MEMORANDUM.

The Commander in Chief directs that para. 6 of the Circular Memorandum dated 20th September 1859, No. 1424, relative to providing passage for the Families of Non-Com-

missioned Officers obtaining Furlough to Europe, be considered as suspended for the present.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
14th December 1859.

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lt Col.
Adjutant General of the Army

A. O. No. 13, 21st December 1859.—I. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery is pleased to direct that applications for Officers attached to Light Field Batteries to select chargers from the Remount Depôt, be hereafter made to the Adjutant General of the Army (through Artillery Head Quarters) by Officers Commanding the Divisions of Artillery in which Batteries may be serving.

2. The particular para. of the Remount Regulations under which a charger is applied for, is invariably to be stated in the letter to Army Head Quarters.

Roll of men of the _____ Battalion Madras Artillery who claim previous service in H. M. British Forces, under G. O G. No. 446 of 15th November, and G. O. C. C. No. 141 of the 17th December 1859.

General Nos.	Rank and Names.	Period of former service claimed.		Regiment in which served.	Date, and cause of discharge.	Date of enlistment in the Indian Forces.	Remarks.
		Years.	Days.				
							<p><i>Note.</i>—In this column it should be stated what has become of the Discharge Certificates received by the men on leaving H. M. British Forces.</p>

Station,
Date. }

Comg. _____ Battalion Madras Arty.

_____ Battalion Madras Artillery.

Head Quarters _____, _____ 18__.

APPLICATION FOR A _____ COURT MARTIAL.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit charges against Genl. No. _____, _____, of the _____ under my command, and request that they may be disposed of by such Court Martial as Superior authority may determine.

The Prisoner is now at _____. The Witnesses are at _____.

To _____ I have the honor to be

Sir

The _____ Your most obedient Servant,

_____. *Signature of* } _____
Comg. Officer. }

CHARGES submitted against Genl. No. ___, _____, _____ Battalion Madras Artillery.

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

I certify that Genl. No. _____, _____, _____ Battalion Madras Artillery is in a _____ state of health, and _____ to undergo Corporal Punishment, or Imprisonment, solitary or otherwise, and with or without hard labor, and that his present appearance, and previous medical history, both justify the belief that hard labor employment will neither be likely to originate, nor to reproduce, disease of any description.

Signature of the Surgeon } _____
or Assistant Surgeon }

N. B.—This form is equally applicable to *General Courts Martial*.

Rank and Name of the
competent Person to ap-
pear before the Court to
prove former convictions
&c. } —————, — *Battn. Madras Arty.*

[illegible]

* In a case of "Desertion" it should be stated in the "Summary of Evidence" whether the Prisoner voluntarily surrendered himself, or was apprehended. It is also desirable that the *date* and *place* of a Deserter's commitment should be inserted, if such information can be afforded.

† The Subalterns returned are to be exclusive of those incompetent to sit upon Courts Martial from the shortness of their service.

EXTRACT FROM THE COURT MARTIAL BOOK of previous convictions against General No. _____, _____, _____ Battalion Madras Artillery.

Date of Trial.	Description of Court.	Crimes.	Sentence, and by whom confirmed.	Punishment.	
				Inflicted.	Remitted.

EXTRACT FROM THE DFEAULTERS BOOK.

Date and Place of crime.	Crimes.	Punishments, and Remarks.

N. B.—Acts of Drunkenness to be inserted in Red Ink.

III. Officers Commanding Horse Field Batteries will forward to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, for eventual submission to Army Head Quarters, "special reports on the practical qualities of the Australian Horses which have been allotted to Horse Field Batteries from the present Remount, after they have been a year in the ranks."

2. It is to be understood that the reports now called for are to be made at the expiration of one year from the date of the Horses joining Batteries.

A. O. No. 15, 29th December 1859.—II. The various Drills and Exercises of the Madras Artillery being now taught at the Recruit Depot, the Brigadier Commandant expects that one uniform system will obtain throughout the Regiment in the performance of them.

2. Should any doubt arise from the instructions in Drill Books not appearing sufficiently definite, the matter is to be referred to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, for submission to the Commandant, who will direct the Officer Commanding the Recruit Depot to test and report on the point at issue.

3. The Brigadier Commandant will then pass his decision on the case, and communicate the same to the Regiment for adoption.

A. O. 30th December 1859.—II. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs the following additions to be made to M. A. O. No. I, 26th September 1859; and regrets that these omissions should have been made in the first instance.

1st. In para 5, the name of 2d Captain H. D. Gloag to follow that of 2d Captain Henegan.

2d. In appendix.—After F. Troop Horse Brigade, add

Attack on the Residency	{ Lieut. Col. E. Brice.
Hyderabad.....	{ Captain G. B B. Holmes.

After C. Company 5th Battalion, add

Occupation of Dorunda... { 2d Captain C. Desborough.
 „ J. R. J. Robertson.

2. The Brigadier regrets to find that he had inadvertently omitted to notice the conduct of the F. Troop Horse Artillery while employed in protecting the Residency at Hyderabad, during the months of July, August, and September 1857, under Lieutenant Colonel Brice; and more particularly that of the $\frac{1}{2}$ Troop under Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Holmes on the night of the 17th July, when the Residency was attacked by a large body of Rohillas from the City, who were speedily checked and put to flight, with considerable loss, by the rapidity with which the Guns were brought into action, and the steadiness and precision of their fire; and it is to the noble conduct on this occasion of the Detachment under Captain Holmes, that the safety of the British Residency may be principally attributed;—the importance of this service can only be properly estimated by quoting the words of the Governor General, who, in his Minute of 2nd July 1857, says “ the fall of the Residency would have led “ to the rising of the whole of the Deccan.”

3. The conduct of the other half of the Troop while at the Residency was also most creditable, exposed, as it was, to daily temptations from a bigoted, but influential and numerous, Mussulman population.

4. This is the second time in which the F. Troop Madras Horse Artillery has distinguished itself at Hyderabad;—the former occasion of their devoted and loyal conduct has already been noticed in Artillery Orders No. 704 dated 18th April 1842, and its behaviour at the Residency has added considerably to the debt of gratitude due by Government to it for such valuable services.

III. Brigadier Hamond having been transferred to the Invalid establishment in G. O. by Government dated the 23rd instant, directs that all reports of the Regiment of Ar-

tillery be made, from this date, to Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) J. W. Croggan, as the next senior Officer doing Regimental duty.

2. Brigadier Hamond cannot relinquish the command without placing on record his sense of the zeal and ability displayed by Officers Commanding Horse Brigade and Battalions, and detachments of Artillery; as well as by the Head Quarters Staff,—Captain (Bt. Major) B. W. Black Director Artillery Depôt, and Captain E. H. Couchman Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery,—in conducting their several duties, for which, and the cordial support they have afforded him on all occasions, he now begs to tender them his best thanks.

3. To all ranks of the Artillery, both European and Native, the Brigadier's acknowledgements are justly due;—all have nobly supported the honor of the Regiment during the late disturbances, and in every situation; and sometimes under the most trying circumstances they have been distinguished by their gallantry, zeal, discipline, and loyalty.

4. Brigadier Hamond regrets much that circumstances oblige him to quit a Regiment where he has served so long; but he will look back with satisfaction to the happy days he has passed in the Madras Artillery; and, in bidding adieu to all, he begs to assure them that he will always have the welfare of the Regiment at heart, and take a deep interest in the coming changes.

ARRIVALS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
28th Novr.	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. G. Pearse,	Europe	Calcutta.
4th Dec.	Capt. J. D. Scott,	Trichinopoly	Madras.
—	„ Brigadier E. Amsinck,	„	„
14th	„ Lieut. J. C. Taylor,	Banda	„
22d	„ Gent. Cadet J. G. Pollock,	Europe	„

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
27th Dec.	Gent. Cadet W. S. Hebbert,	Europe	Madras.
29th „	Lieut. D. D. Anderson,	Saugor	St. Thomas' Mount.

DEPARTURES.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
—	Decr. Brigadier E. Amsinck, } Commanding Trichinopoly. }	Madras.	Trichinopoly.
9th Dec.	2d Capt. J. C. Robinson,	St. Thomas' Mount	Bangalore.
9th „	Lieut. W. Manderson,	„	Bellary.
14th „	Captain J. D. Scott,	Madras	Europe.
23rd „	Lieutenant H. L. Dempster,	„	„
28th „	Lieutenant G. C. Taylor,	„	„
— „	Captain E. T. Fasken,	„	„

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
16th Dec.	Lieut. P. St. G. Græme,—Appointed a Probationary Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department and posted to Nagpore, with effect from 13th October last.	
20th „	Lieut. General W. Cullen,—Permitted to resign his appointment as Resident of Travancore and Cochin, from the 1st January next.	
23rd „	Captain A. Stewart, } Comy. of Ord. at Masulipatam. }	To act as Assistant to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, and Auditor of Ordnance Accounts, during the absence of Captain Fasken, or until further orders.
23rd „	Lieut. H. G. Thomson,—To be considered to have been confirmed as Aid-de-Camp to Lieutenant General Beresford, Commanding Mysore Division, (without prejudice to his Regimental duties) from the 1st July 1858.	
27th „	Colonel E. Amsinck,—To be Commandant of Artillery, with the rank of Brigadier, vice Hamond Invalided, from the 31st December 1859.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859						
7th Decr.	3d Capt. G. C. Robinson. 1st Battalion Artillery.	.....	.....	.....	.....	{ To do duty with the Artillery at Bangalore, until further orders, — to join. To join on being relieved from his appointment of Acting Commissary of Ordnance.
10th "	Ct. (Bt. Maj.) C. J. Cooke. Capt. (Bt. Lt. Col.) J. L. Barrow..... Capt. (Bt. Major) J. G. Balmain..... Capt. J. D. Scott..... " C. H. Hutchinson..... " R. G. H. Grant..... " E. H. Couchman..... " G. B. B. Holmes..... 2d Capt. R. A. Peach.....	1st Supl A. A. D. D. Horse Brigade Non Effective. A. Horse Brigade Non Effective. E.	5th 3rd 5th 1st 3rd Horse Brigade Non Effective. 2d Horse Brigade Non Effective. 5th	A. Horse Brigade Non Effective. 1st Supl A. A. D. Horse Brigade Non Effective. B.	5th Horse Brigade Non Effective. 5th 3rd 2nd 1st Horse Brigade Non Effective. 3rd 5th	
14th "	" G. Dangerfield..... " E. M. Playfair..... " C. L. Yeoman..... C. Comy. 4th Battn. Arty.	B C	3rd 2nd	C B	2nd 3rd	{ To join on arrival from Europe. To join: at Trichinopoly when relieved from his appointment of Acting Adjutant Artillery Recruit Depôt. To join and do duty at the Artillery Recruit Depôt at Saint Thomas' Mount, until further orders.
17th "	Captain (Bt. Major) J. E. Mawdsley..... Capt. H. T. Molesworth..... " W. C. F. Gosling..... A. Troop Horse Artillery... D. do. A. Compy. 3d Battn. with Horse Battery attached.	D. B. F. F. Saugor Kamptee	H. B. 2nd H. B. H. B. Kamptee Nowgong	Horse Brigade Non Effective. F. D. H. B. Kamptee Bellari	5th 2nd 3rd H. B. Kamptee Bangalur	
23d "	B. Compy. 3d Battn. with Native Drivers. B. Compy. 4th Battalion. The Horses of No. 5 Light Field Battery..... Capt. (Bt. Major) J. E. Mawdsley Horse Brigade Non effective.....	..... ..... Jubbulpore Bangalur	..... ..... ..... .....	..... ..... Fort Saint George St Thomas' Mount	..... ..... ..... .....	{ Now at the Mount to continue there, instead of proceeding to Bangalore, under G. O. G. 5th July 1859. By Sea from Calcutta. To be attached to the B. Company 3d Battalion Artillery. To do duty with Head Quarters 2d Bn. Artillery at Kamptee, until further orders To embark at Madras. To embark at Pooree.
29th "	A. Compy. 5th Battn. Arty. (Golundause.) 1st Supplemental Comy. (Golundause.)	..... St. Thomas' Mount. Cuttack	..... ..... .....	..... China China	..... ..... .....
30th "						

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1859						
30th "	F. Troop Horse Artillery....		Saugor		Bangalore	Instead of to Secundarabad,—vide G. O. G. 23d September 1859, No. 367. by Sea from Calcutta.
	A. Company 4th Battn. Arty. with No. 1 Horse Field Battery.		Banda, Humeerpore, Kirwee		Waltair	
	2d Supplemental Company (Golundause.)		Vizianagiam		Cuttack.	
	Capt. (Bt. Major) G. M. Gumm	C.	3rd	D.	4th	
	Captain (Bt. Major) J. Babington	D.	4th doing duty Recruit Depot.	C.	3rd	To join.
	Capt. R. G. H. Grant.....	D.	1st	B.	2nd	To join at Secundarabad and await arrival of Company. To proceed to Secundarabad and await arrival of Company.
31st "	Lieut. W. Freeth.....		doing duty Recruit Depot.	B.	2nd	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
20th Decr.	Lieut. J. H. Gleig,—Nilgris, S. C.	from 12th December 1859 to 30th June 1860.
	„ F. S. Budd,—Madras S. C.	during the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him in G. O. C. C. dated 20th September 1859.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1859.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
6th Decr.	Lieut. D. J. McGrigor—	On medical certificate for 18 months under the regulations of 1854, with effect from the date on which he embarked at Singapore.
9th Decr.	Captain W. S. Mann—	Leave extended for 6 months
	„ G. B. B. Holmes „ „ „ 3 „	
	„ E. T. Fasken—	On medical certificate for 15 months, under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
	„ J. D. Scott—	On furlough under the regulations of 1854.
13th Decr	Lieut. H. L. Dempster	On medical certificate, under the old regulations, and to embark from Madras.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1859.

8th Decr. Lieut. R. A. Baker—Bolarum—Qualified for the General Staff, under para 11, G. O. C. C 6th July 1853, No. 46.

The moonshee allowance to be disbursed to Lieut. Baker.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

16th December 1859.

10th November 1859.—By the Resident at Hyderabad.—Lieutenant Baker having been relieved of the Command of the 3rd Company Artillery, Hyderabad Contingent, by the arrival of Captain Biden, Commanding 3rd Company Artillery, Hyderabad Contingent, is appointed to the Acting Command of the 2nd Company Artillery at Ellichpoor, as a temporary arrangement.

5th December 1859.

2nd April 1859.—By the Officer Commanding St. Thomas' Mount, appointing Captain H. W. Lumsden, Madras Artillery, to the charge of the Office of the Station Staff Officer, vice Lieutenant-Colonel R. Crewe, appointed Military Secretary to the Honorable the Governor.

24th October 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Mysore Division, directing Major G. P. Eaton, Horse Brigade Artillery, to proceed without delay at the Government expence to Cannanore, to preside over a Committee of Artillery Officers for the examination of volunteers from H. M.'s 66th Foot to the Horse Artillery.

2nd December 1859.—By the same, directing Major Eaton, Horse Brigade Artillery, with reference to the Division Order of the 24th October 1859, to return to Bangalore at the public expence on the completion of his duty at Cannanore.

INVALIDED.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 490 dated 23rd December 1859.

“ The undermentioned Officers, being disqualified for the
“ active duties of their profession, are transferred to the
“ Invalid Battalion, from the dates specified opposite to
“ their names.”

“ Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel)	} 30th December 1859.”
“ P. Hamond of the Artillery, Brigadier	
“ Commandant of Artillery.	

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Colonel P. Hamond was a Cadet of 1815 and arrived in India 26th July 1816.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 9th April 1816; as 1st Lieutenant 2nd February 1819; as Captain 17th July 1827; as Major in the Army 23rd November 1841; as Major in the Regiment 31st December 1842; as Lieutenant-Colonel 31st December 1842, and as Colonel in the Army 28th November 1854.

Was Adjutant of the Golundauze Battalion from 27th March 1820 to 28th February 1823.

Was in the service of His Highness the Rajah of Nagpore from 28th February 1823 to 1st June 1830, part of which time as Judge and Collector of a District. Commanded 2nd Battalion Artillery from 4th February to 1st May 1831 and from 4th July to 7th August 1831.

Was Commissary of Ordnance H. S. Force from 5th April 1831 to 3rd May 1842.

Was Acting Commissary of Ordnance Fort St. George from 24th March to 3rd May 1842, and Commissary of Ordnance Fort St. George from 3rd May 1842 to 13th February 1843.

Was Acting Director Artillery Depôt from 23rd May 1843 to 23rd March 1844.

Commanded the Division of Madras Artillery at Aden from 27th April 1844 to 1st June 1847.—Commanded Go-

lundauze Battalion from 14th July 1845 to 1st June 1847 and from 6th April 1850 to 6th February 1851.—Commanded 1st Battalion Artillery from 5th March 1851 to 5th October 1853, and Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from the same date to 21st May 1855, and Commanded the 4th Battalion Artillery from 6th October 1853 to 21st May 1855.

Was Acting Principal Commissary of Ordnance from 2nd June 1855 to 17th March 1856, and Principal Commissary of Ordnance from 18th March 1856 to 21st March 1859.

Was Commandant of Artillery, with the rank of Brigadier from 28th February 1858 (and from 22nd March 1859) to 30th December 1859, the date of his being transferred to the Invalid Battalion, being then the Senior Lieutenant-Colonel in the Regiment.

DESCRIPTION OF 2^d AND 3^d DEGREES OF WOUNDS OR INJURIES WHICH OCCUR IN THE SCALE OF WOUND AND INJURY PENSIONS.

G. O. G. No. 7, 6th January 1860.—The following General Order by the Hon'ble the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is re-published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 16th December 1859.

No. 1658 of 1859.—Under authority of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to direct that the following description of the 2nd and 3rd Degrees of wounds or injuries be substituted for those which occur in the Scale of wound and injury Pensions, published in Government General Order No. 288, of the 30th April 1852:—*

* Madras G. O. G. 8th June 1852, No. 108.

2ND DEGREE.—Men losing one limb or one eye, or being so disabled as to be incapable of earning a livelihood though not requiring the care of another person.

3RD DEGREE.—Men, not losing a limb or an eye, who have received an injury equal to the loss of a limb, or who are otherwise so disabled as to be capable of contributing in only a small degree towards earning a livelihood.

REGULATING THE PAY OF EUROPEAN NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OBTAINING FURLOUGH TO EUROPE.

G. O. G. No. 11, 10th January 1860.—The Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following Extract from General Orders by the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief in India, dated Agra, 8th December 1859.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Governor General, the Commander-in-Chief, in continuation of *G. O. C. of 9th September last*, is pleased to announce that the Pay of European Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Army, who may obtain furlough to Europe, shall be restricted to the amount drawn by Men of the same grades in Her Majesty's British Army, and that passages shall be provided for their families.

ISSUE OF TENTS TO OFFICERS ON FIRST ARRIVAL IN INDIA.

G. O. G. No. 14, 10th January 1860.—The Governor in Council directs that paragraph 18 of the Regulations regarding **EQUIPMENTS TO OFFICERS**, published in *G. O. G. 11th November 1853, No. 231*, be altered as follows:—

Paragraph 18.—“Subalterns' and Hill tents are issuable to all Officers of H. M.'s British Service, and to all Young Officers of all branches of H. M.'s Indian Army, on first arrival in India. The cost of a Subaltern's tent 12 feet square, is Rupees 200-0-0, and of a Hill tent 8 feet square, Rupees 113-0-0, and is payable either at once or by five instalments.

Application for them must be made to the Quarter Master General, who is authorized to order the issue of the same on Indent. If the cost is to be payable by instalments, the indent is to be supported by an obligation certificate on the part of the Officer, binding himself to pay it by instalments."

**RULES REGARDING MADRAS OR BENGAL SICK OFFICERS
PASSED BY BOMBAY MEDICAL COMMITTEES.**

G. O. G. No, 24 13th January 1860.—The following General Order by the Government of Bombay, is re-published at this Presidency.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

**GENERAL ORDER BY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR
IN COUNCIL.**

Bombay Castle, 29th December 1859.

No. 1018 of 1859.—Under the authority of the Government of India, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following rules, in modification of existing Orders :—

1 When a Madras or Bengal sick Officer has passed a Station Committee, the Superintending Surgeon, as President of the Standing Medical Committee, may be applied to without the intervention of the Civil or Garrison Surgeon, and the certificate of the Standing Medical Committee will be accepted by the Government as final, without the countersignature of the Director General Medical Department.

2. The Adjutant General's Department at Bombay may grant to Madras or Bengal Officers in cases of urgent sickness, leave without regard to any security bond that may be required by the Pay Department.

3. When, in the opinion of the Bombay Medical Committee, immediate change of air may be imperatively necessary,

sick Officers may be permitted to proceed, without awaiting telegraph instructions from the Adjutant General's Office in Calcutta.

4. The foregoing two rules only apply to really emergent cases.

5. Security bonds taken for advances made at Bombay shall be limited to the amount of such advances.

DIRECTING THE OMISSION OF CERTAIN WORDS IN THE BOUNTY CERTIFICATE OF SOLDIERS ENLISTED FOR LIMITED SERVICE.

G. O. G. No. 25, 17th January 1860.—The Governor in Council directs that the words quoted in the margin, be in future omitted in the Bounty Certificates of Soldiers en-

<p>“ He not having been convicted “ by Court Martial for one year preceding this date.”</p>	<p>listed for limited Service, and that the Certificate in question be word- ed as follows :—</p>
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“ Certified that the above Roll contains a correct record of service, and that I consider——eligible in every respect for re-enlistment.”

ESTABLISHMENT OF SADDLERY AND HARNESS FOR THE ARTILLERY RECRUIT DEPOT.

G. O. C. C. No. 7, 14th January 1860.—With reference to *G. O. C. C. No. 74*, dated 6th August 1859, the establishment of Saddlery and Harness for the Artillery Recruit Depot, is fixed at 80 Saddles and 64 sets of Harness—Total 144.

SUBSTITUTION OF “ SIX ” FOR “ TWELVE ” MONTHS BETWEEN DISCHARGE AND REINLISTMENT TO COUNT PREVIOUS SERVICE.

G. O. C. C. No. 8, 14th January 1860.—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 495*, dated 27th December 1859, the Commander in Chief directs that the correction therein made be also followed in *G. O. C. C. No. 141*, dated 17th December 1859, by the substitution of “ six ” for “ twelve ” months, as

the interval between discharge and re-enlistment which does not debar the Soldier from counting previous service.

ADVANCES OF FURLOUGH PAY ISSUED TO OFFICERS IN ENGLAND TO BE RECOVERED AT THE EXCHANGE OF 2s. 0½d. THE RUPEE.

G. O. G. No. 35, 20th January 1860.—The Governor in Council has approved of the following rule being established.

Advances of furlough Pay issued to Officers in England for periods subsequent to return to duty, will be recovered at the exchange of 2s. 0½d. the Rupee, by monthly deductions from the Abstracts of Pay and Allowances for the months respectively for which British Pay was received in advance.

REPORTS TO BE MADE ON THE ADVANTAGES WHICH HAVE ATTENDED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HINDOOSTA-NEE CLASSES IN ARMY SCHOOLS.

G. O. C. C. No. 10, 18th January 1860.—With reference to *G. O. G. 11th May 1858, No. 169*, extending the provisions of para 37* of *G. O. G. 23rd March 1855, No. 308*, to the

* Directing the Establishment of a Hindoostanee Class in Army Schools under charge of the Regimental Moonshee; to enable Soldiers to qualify themselves in the Native Language for situations in Native Regiments and in the Several Departments.

Army Schools of Her Majesty's British Forces serving in India,

Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces will forward to the Adjutant General of the Army on the 1st of January next, a further Report on the advantages which may have attended the Establishment of Hindoostanee Classes in Army Schools of Her Majesty's British Troops in this Presidency.

AMALGAMATION OF THE E. AND F. TROOPS OF THE HORSE BRIGADE OF ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 11, 21st January 1860.—With the sanction of Government, the Commander-in-Chief directs that the following arrangements for amalgamating the two Native Troops of the Horse Brigade of Artillery, be carried out from the date of arrival of the F. Troop at Bangalore.

1 Subadar.		2 Trumpeters.
2 Jemadars.		3 Farriers.
1 Troop Quarter Master.		6 Naigues.
1 Troop Serjt. Major.		84 Privates.
1 Troop Qr. Mr. Serjeant.		3 Puckallies.
2 Serjeants.		5 Recruit Boys.
1 Troop Havildar Major.		3 Pension Boys.
1 Drill Havildar.		1 Veterinary Pupil.
1 Drill Naigue.		200 Regimental Horses*.
1 Orderly Havildar.	Non-Effective.	1 Asst. Apothecary.
1 1st Class Rough Rider.		1 Toty.
1 2d Class Rough Rider.		2 Regimental Lascars.
6 Havildars.		12 Artificers.

First.—The E. and F. Troops to be brought together and formed into one Troop of 6 Guns, to be styled

the F. Troop, the Establishment of which will be as per margin: all Native Ranks in excess being borne as supernumeraries, until absorbed.

Second.—The Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers of the E. Troop are to be considered as doing duty with the F. Troop and their promotion to go on in a separate List until the whole are absorbed, precisely on the principle on which promotions were made in the Right and Left Wings of the European Regiments: but the existence of these grades is not to prejudice the promotion in the new F. Troop which is to go on throughout all Ranks as Casualties occur in its own Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned grades as now orgnized.

Third.—The Brigadier Commandant Madras Artillery, will transfer the European Warrant and Non-Commissioned Staff of either of the Troops to do duty at the Artillery Recruit Depot on their present allowances until vacancies occur for them in other Troops.

RULE FOR RE-PAYMENTS OF DEPOSITS, ON ACCOUNT OF MILITARY ESTATES.

G. O. G. No. 41, 27 January 1860.—In supersession of the rule laid down in Para 6, Section IV and V of G. O. G. No. 79, 22nd April 1851, and G. O. G. No. 469, of the 30th November 1858, the Governor in Council notifies for general information, that applications for re-payments of Deposits, on account of Military Estates, need not in future be accompanied by Bills. The Accountant General will, on receipt

* To be reduced to 150 as Casualties occur amongst the men.

of the order of the Military Secretary to Government, directing re-payment, transmit to the payee a *Cash Order*, for the amount sanctioned in the subjoined form, which will be discharged on being receipted by him in the manner prescribed.

“ Deposits on account of Estates of Military Persons deceased.”

No.

Rupees...200 0 0

TO THE PAYMASTER PRESIDENCY.

Sir,—Pay to the Officer Commanding 1st Madras Fusiliers, (this draft having been duly receipted by him,) the sum of Rupees two hundred, being the amount deposited in the Treasury of the Paymaster Bangalore, on the 2nd March 1859, on account of the Estate of the late Captain John Smith, of that Regiment, vide Military Secretary's letter of the 16th January 1860.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

Fort St George, Accountant	}	A. B.
General's Office, 8th January 1860.		<i>Accountant Genl.</i>

N. B.—This draft is not payable until receipted by the Payee, and is not payable to *order*.

OFFICERS WHEN MAKING DEPOSITS OF ESTATES OF DECEASED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS WILL INTIMATE ON WHAT ACCOUNT THE REMITTANCE IS MADE.

G. O. G. No. 42, 27th January 1860.—The Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, having ordered the adoption, in this Presidency, of the form of Deposit Statement of Estates of deceased Officers and Soldiers, in use in

Bengal, the Governor in Council directs that, with a view to the Sub-Treasurer and Military Paymasters shewing distinctly in their Registers of Deposits forwarded to the Accountant General, the "Amount of monies accruing from the adjustment of Estates," and the "Amount of donation batta due to Estates", as provided for in the Bengal form of Deposit Statement above alluded to, Officers Commanding Corps and Detachments will intimate to the Sub-Treasurer and Paymasters, when making deposits in their Treasuries, the amount remitted on each of the above two accounts.

ASST. ADJT. GENERAL OF THE ARMY AND ASST, ADJT, GENERAL OF ARTILLERY TO BE ADDED TO THE LIST OF OFFICERS IN THE 8TH CLAUSE, ROYAL WARRANT OF 31ST JANUARY 1859.

G. O. G. No. 48, 31st January 1860.—The following General Order by His Excellency the Governor General of India, is re-published.

GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA.

Camp Paneeput, the 9th January 1860.

The following Extract from a Despatch No. 419, dated the 24th of November 1859, from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, is published for general information.

"Her Majesty's Government have decided that the appointment of Assistant Adjutant General of the Army and of Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery shall be added to the List of Officers enumerated in the 8th Clause of the Royal Warrant of 31st January 1859, as qualifying Lieutenant Colonels for promotion to the rank of Colonel in Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

A. O. 4th January 1860.—III. The following is published for general information.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter:—

From the Adjutant General of the Army Fort Saint George, 28th September 1859 No. 1050; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

Great difficulty has been experienced by Regimental authorities in dealing with the claims to clothing of the European Soldiers about to be embarked for England for discharge under G. O. G. G. No. 883 of 1859; that is, of such of them as entered the service prior to 1st January 1855, the date of the new Clothing Regulations coming into operation.

* "No. 624 of 1857. The Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to direct that the practice which has existed of styling the clothing issued on the 1st of January annually, as clothing for the previous year, shall be discontinued; and that the designation hereafter shall be clothing for the year during which it is intended to be worn. Thus the clothing to be issued on the 1st January next, instead of being designated "clothing for 1857," shall be styled "clothing for 1858."
"It is not intended by this change to interfere in any way with the claims which Soldiers may have to clothing under the old Clothing Regulations."

2. The difficulty arises from the doubt entertained as to the correct interpretation of G. O. G. G. No. 624, of 28th April 1857, which is given in the margin.*

3. The introduction of this change, which was virtually, in the case of these men, reverting to the old system, has made it appear in their Ledgers that they have received no clothing for 1857: and this has led to a claim to clothing for that year being preferred.

4. The Commander in Chief is of opinion that this change in the "designation" of the clothing was ordered for the purpose of meeting such claims, and His Excellency understands the order to mean that the clothing issued to the old Soldiers on the 1st January 1858 was, in point of fact, his clothing for 1857; as, under the old Rules, had the soldier been discharged in 1858 prior to 31st December in that year, he would have had no claim on the Clothing

Department, provided of course all previous years clothing claims had been duly adjusted.

5. A statement shewing an actual Debtor and Creditor Account, as lately called for by this Department in order to convince the men that their claim is inadmissible, is given below, from which it will be apparent how the Soldier enlisted prior to January 1855 receives his annual clothing.

Regimental No. 1711, Serjeant Applick McKenzie, enlisted at Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, Scotland, on the 15th October 1850.

Arrived in India on the ship "Trafalgar" on the 12th December 1851.

	Suits.		Suits.
Issued on the 17th May 1852, Bounty clothing for 1851.	1	By Bounty Clothing for 1851..	1
" " 27th May 1853, Clothing for 1852 ..	1	" Clothing for 1852 ..	1
" " 4th July 1854, Clothing for 1853 ..	1	" " " 1853..	1
" " 2d May 1855, Clothing for 1854 ..	1	" " " 1854 ..	1
" " 30th April 1856 Clothing for 1855 ..	1	" " " 1855..	1
" " Decr. 1857, Clothing for 1856 ..	1	" " " 1856 ..	1
" " 14th Aug. 1858, Clothing for 1858..	1	" " " 1857, styled Cloth. for 1858, vide G. O. G. No. 624 of 1857..	1
" " 17th Aug. 1859, Compensation for Clothing for 1859 ..	1	Compensation for clothing for 1858, styled for 1859..	1
	8		8

6. Sir Patrick Grant thinks that the 2d para. of the order above quoted favors the view of the question, but His Excellency directs me to refer the matter for the early decision of Government.

ORDER No. 3535, 4TH OCTOBER 1859.

The Governor in Council observes that, by para. 4 of G. O. G. 3rd of April 1857, No. 96, the adjustment of clothing

claims of Soldiers who entered the service prior to the 1st January 1855, and becoming casualties otherwise than by death, is duly provided for.

2. The clothing issued in 1858, and styled clothing for that year, was the clothing for 1857, as correctly viewed by the Commander in Chief, and the issue of Compensation for the current year, (clothing for 1858, styled 1859, not having been issued,) adjusts the claims in full of the Soldiers referred to in para. 1 of the Adjutant General's letter, discharged under G. O. G. G. No. 883 of 1859.

A. O. 13th January 1860.—II. Superior Authority having decided that the Knapsack for the European Troops of the Indian Forces is to be of the same pattern as that in use with the British Army, the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified that drawings of the new Knapsack will be circulated, as early as practicable, from Artillery Head Quarters.

2. Knapsacks of the pattern now ordered are to be introduced whenever it may be necessary to renew this article of equipment.

A. O. No. 1, 26th January 1860.—I. With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 33 of 23rd March 1859, the Commandant of Artillery reminds Officers that the Uniform of the Madras Artillery is to be exactly that of the Royal Artillery, with the exception of the Motto and Badges, and the letters as therein stated.

2. The Commandant requests that all Officers will provide themselves with the new Uniform as soon as they can do so.

3. His Excellency the Commander in Chief having sanctioned a Dress Scarlet Waistcoat to be worn at Mess and

Evening parties, drawings will be furnished to Officers Commanding Corps as early as practicable.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
3rd Jany.	2d Capt. H. D. Gloag,	Cannanore	St. Thos' Mount.
6th „	Capt. A. Stewart,	Masulipatam	Madras.
17th „	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) C. J. Cooke	Trichinopoly	St. Thos' Mount.
24th „	Lieut. T. W. Roberts,	Bangalore	„
25th „	Lieut. W. D' O. Kerrich,	Europe	Madras.

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
3rd Jany.	Lieut. D. V. Shortland,	St. Thos' Mount	Singapore.
5th „	2d Capt. G. Dangerfield,	„	Trichinopoly.
7th „	Lieut. W. Freeth,	„	Bangalore.
9th „	„ A. J. Ogilvie,	Madras	Europe.
„	„ H. G. Thomson,	„	Bangalore.
13th „	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) J. Babington,	St. Thos' Mount	Thayetmayo.
26th „	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) G. Balfour C. B.	Madras	Calcutta.
28th „	2d Captain C. Desborough,	„	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
3rd Jany.	Gent. Cadet Mr. W. S. Hebbert,—Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.	
6th „	Senior Capt. (Bt. Maj.) J. E. Mawdsley,—Promoted to Lieut. Colonel, vice Hamond invalided; date of commission, 31st December 1859.	
6th „	Gent. Cadet. Mr. J. G. Pollock,—Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.	
19th „	Lieut. A. J. Ogilvie,—To proceed to England in command of the discharged Men arrived from Kamptee.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1860. 6th Jany.	Lt. Col. J. E. Mawdsley... Capt. (Bt. Maj.) C. J. Cooke	late promotion A.	5th	..... D.	2nd 5th	{ Relieved from d. d. D. Com. 4th Bn. Arty. and to proceed to join his Compy. at Tenghoo.
	Lieut. H. F. Pritchard C. } Company 4th Battalion. }	.....	.....	.....	.....
16th "	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) E. } Amsinck..... }	.....	5th	H. B. Non Effective.	.....	{ To join forthwith via Calcutta.
	Lt. Col. W. H. Miller.....	.....	2nd	.....	5th	
	Capt. H. E. Hicks.....	D.	3rd	1st Supl	5th	{ To proceed in Command of the Company to China.
	" W. S. Mann.....	A.	1st	D.	1st	
	2d Capt. J. McK. Macintyre.....	2d Supl	5th	A.	5th	{ To join.
	2d Capt. R. C. B. Highmoor.....	A.	3rd	D.	3rd	
	Lieut. W. H. McCausland	2d Supl	5th	A.	5th	{ To join forthwith.
	" H. P. Lane.....	d. d. P.	H. B.	d. d. D.	H. B.	
	" T. W. Roberts.....	{ doing duty Artillery in Mysore.		doing duty	Recruit Depôt.	{ To join.
	" W. A. Warren.....	{ doing duty Recruit Depôt.		A.	5th	
	" C. W. Brereton.....	A.	1st	A.	5th	{ To join.
	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) C. J. } Cooke, D. Company 5th Battalion..... }	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) J. E. } Mawdsley..... }	.....	.....	.....	.....	{ Will on being relieved from Act. Comy. of Ord. Trichinopoly proceed to St. Thomas' Mount, in view to assume charge of the Head Quarters 5th Bn. Artillery.
20th "	B. Company 2d Battalion...	Burmah.		Waltair		{ The removal to the Horse Brigade "Non Effective" in G. O. C. 17th Dec. 1859 was at that Officer's request.
	A. Company 4th Battalion.	Banda.		Secunderabad.		
	B. Company 4th Battalion.	Jubbulpore		Fort Saint George		{ Instead of to Secunderabad, vide G. O. G. No. 271, dated 5th July 1859.
23d "	Lieut. W. F. Grey.....	.....	3rd	Horse Brigade Non Effective.		{ Instead of to Waltair, vide G. O. G. No. 502, dated 30th December 1859.
30th "	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) J. G. Balmain.....	1st Supl	5th	D.	3rd	
	Capt. B. C. Hitchins.....	D.	5th	A.	1st	{ By Sea from Masulipatam, instead of from Calcutta, vide G. O. G. No. 490 dated 22nd December 1859.
	Lt. H. Featherstonhaugh.	A.	3rd	D.	3rd	
						{ Vice Lieutenant Anderson appointed Adjutant of the Artillery Recruit Depôt.
						{ Now en route to Kamptee with No. 12 Horse Battery—to join.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
13th Jany.	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) J. Babington.	—In continuation till 31st December 1859 to enable him to join.
18th „	Lieut. J. C. Taylor.	—To visit Calcutta and proceed to Madras on medical certificate from 28th October to 31st December 1859.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
27th Jany.	Capt. C. Desborough.	—On Medical Certificate for 18 months under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
31st „	Lieut. Col. G. Rowlandson.	—On medical Certificate for 15 months, under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
	Supt. Gun Powder Many.	

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

16th January 1860.

30th December 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Nagpore Force, directing Captain (Major) J. E. Mawdsley, to continue in command of the D. Troop Horse Brigade, until relieved by Captain Gosling, or until further orders.

26th October 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, directing Lieutenant A. J. Ogilvie, D. Troop Horse Artillery, to proceed in Command of the men of the Artillery, who have elected to take their discharge and to march with them towards Bombay on the 1st November 1859.

20th January 1860.

27th September 1859.—By the Officer Commanding Tonghoo, appointing Captain Thornton, Madras Artillery, to act as Interpreter to H. M. 69th Regiment from the 27th September 1859.

27th January 1860.

3rd January 1860.—By the Senior Officer in charge Head Quarters 5th Battalion Madras Artillery appointing 2nd Captain H. D. Gloag, to act as Quarter Master and Interpreter of the 5th Battalion Madras Artillery from 3rd January 1860, during the absence of Lieutenant and Quarter Master J. W. Watkins on duty to England, or until further orders.

30th January 1860.

11th January 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Southern Division, directing 2nd Captain G. Dangerfield of the Artillery to assume temporary charge of the Arsenal and Ordnance Department at Trichinopoly, vice Major Cooke, who has resigned the appointment.

NATURE OF LEAVE OF ABSENCE PREPARATORY TO FURLOUGH.

G. O. G. No. 53, 3d, February 1860.—The Governor in Council directs that the following rule, contained in G. O. by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, dated Simla, 12th July, 1859, be extended to this Presidency.

Leave of absence, preparatory to furlough, whether on private affairs or on sick certificate, must always be *general*, and not *privilege* leave.

ADDITIONAL 2d PER DIEM TO ALL NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS ABOVE THE RANK OF CORPORAL.

G. O. G. No. 58, 7th February 1860.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the provisions of G. O. G. No. 150, 27th April 1858, granting an additionnal 2d. per diem to all Non-Commissioned Officers above the rank of Corporal, in lieu of Good Conduct Pay, shall be considered applicable to all Serjeants, without reference to their being attached to Regiments or Departments. This order to have retrospective effect from the 1st January 1858.

Nos. 6 AND 8 LIGHT FIELD BATTERIES TO BE HORSED AS EARLY AS PRACTICABLE.

G. O. C. C. No. 17, 8th February 1860—With the sanction of Government and adverting to the General Orders marginally * indicated, Nos. 6. and 8 Field Batteries of Ar-

* No. 36, dated 27th July 1857. tillery, (to be attached to the
No. 49, dated 9th September 1857. C. Company 3rd Battalion and

B. Company 4th Battalion respectively,) will be Horsed as early as practicable.

2. The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery will be good enough to place himself in communication with the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines for the supply of Saddlery and Harness forthwith, and he will also inform the Agent for Remounts of the number of Horses required; and this latter Officer will, on receipt of the information, despatch the Horses to the destinations hereafter mentioned, viz :—

Those for the C. Company 3rd Battalion, (to be broken in under the orders of the Officer Commanding Horse Brigade,) to Bangalore.

Those for the B. Company 4th Battalion. (to be broken in under the orders of the Officer Commanding Artillery, Centre Division,) to the Mount.

3. The Karkhanas of the above Companies (Nos. 3 and 10) will be broken up from the date of the Horses joining them, the Bullocks will be made over to the Commissariat Department on the spot, the Equipment for Bullock draught returned into the nearest Arsenal. and the Karkhana Drivers sent to the Mount.

RULES REGARDING THE ALLOWANCES TO BE GRANTED TO OFFICERS SUCCEEDING TO THE TEMPORARY COMMAND OF BRIGADES.

G. O. G. No. 77, 21st February 1860.—The following General Order by His Excellency the Governor General of India, is re-published.

GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA.

Camp Phugwarah, the 31st January 1860.

With reference to Government General Order No. 1460,* dated 28th October 1859, His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to publish the following further rules, regarding the allowances to be granted to Officers succeeding to the temporary Command of Brigades :—

When a Regimental Officer not Commanding his Regiment, succeeds by Seniority to the temporary Command of the Brigade, he will be granted an allowance of Rupees (400) four hundred per mensem as Staff.

A Military Staff Officer becoming senior Officer at the Station will exercise the Command of the Brigades without any extra allowance.

REGARDING THE DISPOSAL OF UNCLAIMED MONEY REMAINING IN REGIMENTAL CASH CHESTS.

G. O. C. C. No. 27, 23rd February 1860.—It having come under the notice of Government, that from the unclaimed sums lodged in the Cash Chest of a Regiment of Native Infantry, disbursements have from time to time been made by its successive Commanding Officers for Regimental or public purposes in a manner altogether unauthorized by Regulation, the Commander-in-Chief directs that an immediate report be made by all Regimental Commanding Officers to Army Head Quarters (for communication to Government) shewing the amount of unclaimed money in their respective Cash Chests, and stating whether any similar unauthorized outlay of unclaimed money, appears from the Regimental Records to have been made in their respective Corps.

2. His Excellency forbids such misappropriation of Funds of the above description for the future; and desires

* Madras G. O. G. 11th November 1859, No. 438.

that, after allowing a reasonable period—which under any circumstances need not exceed 12 months—for its otherwise legitimate disposal, that any sum of money lying unclaimed in the Regimental Cash Chest be paid into the nearest Treasury on account of Government.

SERVANTS OF GOVERNMENT COMMITTED TO PRISON, TO BE CONSIDERED AS UNDER SUSPENSION FROM DATE OF ARREST.

G. O. G. No. 82, 28th February 1860.—The following General Order by the Hon'ble the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is re-published for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, the 14th February 1860.

No. 160 of 1860.—The following Notification, from the Home Department, is published in General Orders :—

No. 309.—Fort William, dated 6th February, 1860.—Notification.—The following Extract, from Despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, is published for general information :

“ When a Servant of Government is committed to prison, either for debt or on a criminal charge, he should be considered as under suspension from the date of his arrest, and not allowed to draw any pay until the termination of the proceeding against him, when an adjustment of his allowances will be made according to the circumstances of the case, the full amount being given only in the event of the Officer being acquitted of blame, or (if the imprisonment was for debt) of its being proved that the Officer's liability arose from circumstances beyond his control.”

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENCES COMMITTED BY SOLDIERS
UNDER TWO DISTINCT HEADS.

G. O. C. C. No. 31, 27th February 1860.—The following General Order by the Right Honorable the Commander in Chief in India, dated Head Quarters, Camp Umritsir, 6th February 1860, is published for the information of the Army: and the Commander in Chief directs that the Rules laid down in Horse Guards General Orders, Nos. 737 and 738 be applied to the European branch of the Madras Army.

The Commander in Chief is pleased to publish the General Orders from the Horse Guards dated respectively the 9th and 25th of November last, and to direct that the rules therein laid down be applied to the European branch of the Bengal Army:—

“ GENERAL ORDER, No. 737.

“ *Horse Guards, 9th November 1859*

“ His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief having had occasion, lately, to remark on the unequal estimate of crime and allotment of punishment by Courts Martial, especially as regards corporal punishment, has taken this important subject under his anxious consideration, with a view to amendment and correction. With this object he has decided upon establishing a classification of Soldiers, for the purpose of maintaining a distinction between the classes as regards liability to corporal punishment.

“ All men on entering the Army will be placed in the first class, and will not, except for aggravated mutinous conduct, be liable to corporal punishment. They will continue in the first class, unless they should incur degradation into the second class by the commission of certain crimes hereafter specified. For this purpose His Royal Highness

has further decided on classifying the offences committed by soldiers under two distinct heads. Crimes under the 1st head are to be the following :

Absence from Parade.

Drunkenness.

Riotous conduct in the streets.

Absence without leave from Tattoo.

Preferring frivolous complaints.

Disrespect to Non-Commissioned Officers.

Striking a comrade.

Absence without leave, as defined by 51 Art. of War.

Escaping from confinement.

Insubordination.

Making away with necessaries.

Falsely imputing improper conduct to a superior.

Sleeping on Post, depending on the circumstances and nature of the service.

Crimes under the 2d head are to be the following :

Desertion.

Mutinous conduct.

Aggravated cases of insubordination and violence.

Drunkenness on duty, or on line of march.

Embezzling public money.

Stealing from a comrade.

Theft.

Designedly maiming.

Repeated acts of making away with necessaries, arms, accoutrements, ammunition, &c.

Other disgraceful acts shewing vicious or unnatural propensities, indecent assaults.

“ No man guilty of offences under the first head is to be subject to corporal punishment, except during time of War, when the Army is in the field.

“ Men guilty of offences under the second head, being crimes of a very serious description, will, if in the second class, be liable to corporal punishment. If, however, they are in the first class, they will, together with their other punishment, not being corporal punishment, be disgraced, and passed into the second class, when they will thenceforth, on the repetition of crimes under the second head, be liable to corporal punishment, as having degraded themselves by their own bad conduct.

“ Uninterrupted good conduct for a year will, however, again restore the Soldier from the 2d to the 1st class as proving a desire for reformation and amendment.

“ Though thus classified, it does not follow that all men under the 2d class are to be condemned to corporal punishment.

“ Each case is to be decided upon its own merits, and corporal punishment as much avoided as possible ; but a man who by misconduct has placed himself in the 2d class, is liable thereafter to corporal punishment ; whereas the man in the 1st class is not liable to such punishment, except in the case of aggravated mutinous conduct, when severity must at once be resorted to, to repress more serious mischief resulting from such conduct.

“ His Royal Highness trusts that the above classification will greatly simplify, to the Officers of the Army, the method of dealing with crime ; will deter the evil-disposed from committing offences justly subjecting them to severe punishment, which, though necessary to maintain discipline, should be restricted as much as possible ; and will give confidence to the good Soldier, by securing to him on entering Her Majesty's Service an immunity from degrading punishment, which

immunity it will be in his power to preserve to the day when his engagement shall expire."

GENERAL ORDER No. 738.

" Horse Guards 25th November 1859

" His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief, in calling the attention of Commanding Officers to the General Order of the 9th instant, No. 737, and in order to simplify the Classification therein established, is pleased to direct that all Soldiers now serving, except those who have been convicted of felony, desertion, of repeated acts of disgraceful conduct, or of vicious and unnatural propensities and indecent assaults, shall be rated in the first class; and His Royal Highness hopes that those who have, to their own shame and that of the Army, committed other offences deserving degradation, will profit by this opportunity to redeem their character, and avert the disgrace which a perseverance in crime cannot fail to bring upon them.

" Previous convictions will still be produced in evidence before Court Martial, to enable Courts to estimate character and award punishment.

" The Officer producing former convictions will also state to what class the prisoner belongs.

" When Soldiers are degraded to the second class, it will be duly notified in the Regimental Order Book, as will their restoration to the first class.

A. O. 10th February 1860.—In continuation of A. O. No. II of the 19th December 1859, the following Circular Memo: is published for general information and guidance.

No. 242.

CIRCULAR MEMO.

<p>* 20th September 1859, No. 1424, 26th November 1859, No. 1800, 2d December 1859, No. 1825.</p>

Adverting to Circular Memoranda as per margin,* and G. O. G. 10th January

1860, No. 11, the Commander in Chief directs it to be noti-

fied, that, when Non-Commissioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe, on sick leave, Government has sanctioned the Family allowance to their Wives and children, who may remain in India, being disbursed in this country, during the absence of the Husband or Parent, on the understanding that, on receiving it, they relinquish their claims to a free passage Home for the occasion in question.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE }

FORT SAINT GEORGE,

6th February 1860.

(Signed) W. G. WOODS, Lt Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

A. O. No. 2, 16th February 1860.—II. Under instructions from His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified that, in the case of a Native Soldier convicted by a Court Martial, previous to completing the required period of service to entitle him to additional or class pay, the probation of 2 years uninterrupted good conduct, on which he is placed before he can be put in possession of the extra pay, commences from the expiration of the sentence of the Court,

A. O. No. 3, 28th February 1860.—I. The Commandant of Artillery directs it to be notified that His Excellency the Commander in Chief, with the approval of Government, has sanctioned the Discharge Certificates of Europeans of the Artillery being filled in at Artillery Head Quarters, and signed by the Commandant of Artillery instead of, as heretofore, by Officers Commanding Corps;—hereafter therefore Officers Commanding any portion of the Regiment will adjust the claims of men for discharge, as far as practicable, before they allow them to leave their station; and, in reporting their departure to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, will forward a full statement of all unadjusted claims, accompanied by documents, to enable the Officer Commanding Details immediately on the arrival of individuals at the Mount to settle them.

2. The Commandant directs it to be understood that he expects no reference whatever to be necessary on account of any man for discharge, after he once leaves his station.

II. Captain A. N. Scott, Commissary of Ordnance Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, having represented that he was, by order of the Resident of Hyderabad, in command of 2 Guns of the Hyderabad Contingent on the attack on the Residency on the 17th July 1857, the Commandant of Artillery has much pleasure in adding his name to the list of Officers published in A. O. of 26th September 1859, para 6, after that of Captain (Major) A. W. Macintire, feeling sure that the late Commandant would not have intentionally omitted it.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
—	Feby. Lieut. J. Ketchen,	Trichinopoly	Madras.
8th	„ 2d Capt. S. R. Smith,	Europe	„
15th	„ „ J. R. J. Robertson,	Dorunda (Bengal)	„
15th	„ Lieut. J. G. Marshall,	Cuttack	„
„	„ „ B. Yaldwyn,		
„	„ „ W. H. Mc. Causland,	Vizianagram	„
„	„ „ G. A. Goldingham,	Jubbulpore	„
21st	„ 2d Capt. C. L. Yeoman,	Tonghoo	„
27th	„ Capt. H. E. Hicks,	Saugor	„

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
—	Feby. Lieut. J. Ketchen,	Madras	Trichinopoly.
3rd	„ Lieut. Col. E. Brice,	„	Bangalore.
3rd	„ Lieut. H. G. Thomson,		
14th	„ Lieut. Col. G. Rowlandson,	„	Europe.
14th	„ 2d Capt. H. D. Gloag,		

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
1st	„ Lieut. J. Hoyes,	Appointed, the former to command, and the latter to do duty with the Detachment of discharged Men under orders to proceed to England on the Ship "Barham."
	„ C. H. A. Gower,	

1860.

Names.

To.

1st Feby. Lieut. P. C. Trevor, } Appointed to do duty with
D. Compy. 1st Battn. Arty. } the Horse Brigade Artillery,
during the absence in Europe of Lieut.
J. Stewart or until further orders.

4th „ W. D'O. Kerrich, } Appointed to act as
Horse Brigade Arty. (Non Effective) } Quarter Master and
Interpreter of the 5th Battalion Artillery
during the absence in Europe of Lieut.
J. W. Watkins, or until further orders—
vice 2d Capt. H. D. Gloag, about to
proceed to Europe.

28th „ Capt. T. H. Campbell,—Promoted to the rank of Major, by
Brevet from 21st September 1859.

„ „ Senior Capt. (Bt. Maj.) C. J. Cooke,—To be Lt. Col.
„ „ „ 2d Capt. C. M. Thornton,—To be Captain.
„ „ „ Lieut. R. C. Henchy,—To be 2d Captain.

Vice Miller transferred
to the Invalid Establish-
ment, 23d February 1860

27th „ Capt. W. C. F. Gosling, } Appointed to Command the Artillery
Horse Artillery } , Recruit Depôt at Saint Thomas'
Mount.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1860. 11th Feby.	2d Capt. S. R. Smith.....	{	Horse Bri- gade Non Ef- fective.	B.	3rd	To join.
	„ E. M. Playfair...		B.	3rd	Horse Bri- gade Non Ef- fective.	
13th „	„ R. C. B. Highmoor.	{	D. 3rd doing duty	A.	4th	To join forthwith.
23rd „	Lieut. C. C. Saxton.....		Recruit De- pôt.	1st Supl.	5th	
28th „	2d Capt. J. R. Magrath }	{	Horse Bri- gade Non Ef- fective.	D.	3rd	To join.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
3d Feby. 2d	Captain H. D. Gloag—	Presidency S. C., to enable him to obtain a final medical certificate to proceed to Europe.
10th „	Lieut. F. S. Budd,	Madras S. C., in continuation till 15th 5th Battalion Artillery. June 1860.
21st „	„ G. A. Goldingham,—	Madras, <i>Privilege leave</i> , from 15th F. Troop H. Artillery. January 1860 for 60 days.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks</i>
9th Feby. 2d	Captain H. D. Gloag,—	On medical certificate under the old regulations, and to embark from Madras.

EXAMINED IN THE BURMESE LANGUAGE.

1860.	
29th Feby.	Lieutenant C. E. Watson,—Passed a successful examination in the Burmese language.

SERVICES.

1860.	
14th Feby.	The Services of Captain J. R. Magrath of the Madras Artillery who has resigned his appointment in the Telegraph Department, having been placed by the Government of India at the disposal of this Government, they are accordingly placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

DISTRIBUTION OF A DIVIDEND OF THE SADDLE CONTRACT FUND FOR THE YEARS 1858-59.

Horse Brigade.

Lieut. Col. F. Buigoyne for the whole year.....	3893	9	8
Deduct advance....	3115	5	0
	—————	778	4 8

No. 1, Horse Field Battery.

Lieut. R. Pope, from 1st May to 15th June 1858.	61	5	5
Deduct advance....	49	1	3
	—————	12	4 2

Captain C. H. Harrison, from 16th June to 22nd

November 1858 213 5 7

Deduct advance... 170 11 3

42 10 4

Lieut. C. Johnson, from 23rd November 1858, to

29th January 1859 90 10 8

Deduct advance... 72 8 9

18 1 11

Major R. Kinhead, from 30th January to 30th

April 1859 121 5 6

Deduct advance... 97 1 4

24 4 2

No. 2, Horse Field Battery.

Major G. S. Cotter, from 1st to 31st May 1858... 41 5 4

Deduct advance... 33 1 2

8 4 2

2d Capt. G. G. Campbell, from 1st to 25th June

1858. 33 5 5

Deduct advance... 26 10 9

6 10 8

2d Capt. W. J. Bradford, from 26th June to 27th

August 1858. 84 0 1

Deduct advance... 67 3 5

16 12 8

Major R. Cadell, from 28th August 1858, to 30th

April 1859 328 0 4

Deduct advance... 262 7 3

65 9 1¹

No. 3, Horse Field Battery.

Captain A. Stewart, from 1st May 1858, to 15th

April 1859 466 11 2

Deduct advance... 373 6 7

93 4 7

Lieut. F. C. Trevor, from 16th to 25th April 1859. 13 5 4

Deduct advance... 10 10 8

2 10 8

Lieut. M. L. J. Monckton, from 26th to 30th

April 1859 6 10 8

Deduct advance... 5 5 4

1 5 4

No. 4, Horse Field Battery.

Captain F. W. Bond, from 1st May 1858, to 23rd

March 1859... ..	436	0	6
Deduct advance...	348	13	11
	—————	87	2 7

Lieut. H. M. Finlay, from 24th March to 30th

April 1859	50	10	8
Deduct advance...	40	8	8
	—————	10	2 0

No. 5, Horse Field Battery.

Captain J. D. Scott, for the whole year.

486	11	2
Deduct advance...	389	6 7
	—————	97 4 7

No. 7, Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain M. C. Lawson, from 1st to 11th May

1858.	14	10	8
Deduct advance...	11	11	9
	—————	2	14 11

Captain A. V. Falls, from 12th May 1858, to 20th

April 1859	472	0	6
Deduct advance...	377	10	10
	—————	94	5 8

No. 8, Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain G. Carleton, from 16th March to 30th

April 1859.			
	Rupees	61	5 5
Advance received... „	97	5	8
	—————	36	0 3
Difference advance overdrawn.			to be re-covered.

No. 9, Horse Field Battery.

2d Captain C. L. Yeoman, from 1st May to 9th

August 1858... ..	134	10	9
Deduct advance...	107	12	9
	—————	26	14 0

Captain E. H. Couchman, from 10th August 1858,

to 22nd March 1859	300	0	4
Deduct advance...	240	0	9
	—————	59	15 7

Major G. Selby, from 23rd March to 30th April

1859	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	0	1
										Deduct advance...	41	9 9
											—————	10 6 4

No. 10, Horse Field Battery.

2d Capt. C. M. J. Thornton, for the whole year... 486 11 2

Deduct advance...	389	6	7
	—————		97 4 7

No. 11, Horse Field Battery.

2nd Captain J. S. Baird, from 1st May 1858, to

24th January 1859	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	358	5	8
										Deduct advance...	143	7 11
											—————	214 13 9

Captain C. T. Collingwood, from 25th January to

30th April 1859...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	128	5	6
										Deduct advance...	51	3 5
											—————	77 2 1

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

4th February 1860.

31st December 1859,—By the Officer Commanding Nag-pore Force, appointing Captain C. T. Collingwood of the Artillery, to officiate as Interpreter to H. M. 91st Regiment, from the 31st December, 1859, without prejudice to his Regimental duties, vice Lieutenant and Quarter Master E. S. Berkely, 7th Light Cavalry, proceeding to Madras as Adjutant of the Body Guard, or until further orders.

10th February 1860.

23rd January 1860.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Artillery, appointing 2nd Captain J. M. Macintyre to the charge from the 23rd January 1860, of the office of the Quarter Master of the Battalion, vice 2nd Captain H. D. Gloag, proceeding on S. C. to Europe, and during the absence of Lieutenant and Quarter Master J. W. Watkins on duty to England, or until further orders, without prejudice to his appointment as acting Adjutant of the Battalion.

DEATH.

At Camp Saugor, on the 9th February 1860, Captain (Major) R. Kinkead, Artillery.

Major R. Kinkead was a Cadet of 1829 and arrived in India 10th January 1831; Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 11th June 1830; as 1st Lieutenant 22nd January 1839; as Captain in the Army 11th June 1845; as Captain in the Regiment 12th August 1853, and as Major in the Army 7th May 1855.

Served with the Malacca Expedition in 1832, with the China Expedition from 13th March 1842 to 11th February 1843, and was present at the storming of Ching-Keang-foo 21st July 1842 and operations before Nankin in August 1842.

Passed examination in Hindoostanee as Adjutant on 19th July 1849.

Was Acting Commissary of Ordnance at Belgaum from May to August 1839;—Acting Commissary of Ordnance at Trichinopoly from 9th January to 4th February 1848.

Appointed to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master to the Division of Artillery serving in the Saugor Division on 3rd January 1850, but exchanged for the appointment of Adjutant and Quarter Master 4th Battalion Artillery on the 18th January 1850, which he continued to hold till 12th August 1853.

Commanded D. Company 3rd Battalion from 18th March 1854 to 7th January 1856, and No. 4 Horse Battery from 10th February 1855 to 7th January 1856; Commanded A. Company 4th Battalion and No. 1 Horse Battery from 13th June 1856 to 9th February 1860. Commanded Artillery Pegu Division from 13th November 1855 to 14th February 1856.

Commanded Detachment Madras Artillery Saugor Field Division from 1st to 28th April 1859, and Artillery Brigade of the same Division from 28th April to 13th July 1859.—Commanded the Artillery Saugor Field Division from 31st

July to 31st December 1859, and died at Saugor on the 19th February 1860, being then the 12th Captain.

INVALIDED.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 79, dated 24th February 1860.

“ Colonel W. H. Miller of the Artillery, being disqualified for the active duties of his profession, is transferred to the “ Invalid Battalion from the 21st February 1860.”

Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Miller was a Cadet of 1823 and arrived in India 2nd September 1824 ;—date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 18th December 1823 ; as 1st Lieutenant 1st May 1824 ; as Captain 27th November 1838 ; as Major 15th May 1851 ; as Lieutenant Colonel in the Army 28th November 1854, and as Lieutenant Colonel in the Regiment 15th May 1857.

Was Acting Commissary of Ordnance N. S. Force from 14th November 1827 to 2nd April 1828 ;—Assistant in the Survey Department, His Highness the Rajah of Nagpore's Service from 10th November 1828 to 6th June 1830.

Served with the Force of Lieutenant Colonel Evans C. B. employed against the insurgents in the Nuggur Province of Mysore in April, May and June 1831, and was present in the affairs of 23rd, and 30th April, 1st 2nd and 16th May 1831.

Was Acting Fort Adjutant Cannanore from 1st January to 23rd, March 1833 ;—Deputy Commissary of Ordnance Cannanore from May 1833 to 30th December 1834 ;—Acting Deputy Commissary of Ordnance Cannanore from 31st December 1834 to 1st October 1835, and again Deputy Commissary of Ordnance Cannanore from 2nd October 1835 to 18th March 1844 ;—Executive Engineer at Cannanore from 2nd October 1843 to 25th March 1844 ; Commissary of Ordnance Nagpore Subsidiary Force from 19th March 1844 to 27 June 1851.

Commanded Detachment of Foot Artillery Kamptee and Artillery Nagpore Subsidiary Force from 15th July 1851 to 18th August 1853.—Commanded the Division of Madras Artillery in Pegu from 11th March 1855 to 13th November 1855.—Commanded 2nd Battalion and Artillery Nagpore Force from 30th September to 20th November 1857.

Was appointed Brigadier 2nd Class and to Command the Artillery Brigade with the Field Division under Major General Whitlock in the Saugor and Nerbudda Territories from 24th November 1857 to 28th June 1858.—Was present at the Action of Jheeghun 10th, and Kubrai 17th April 1858, and the engagement at Banda 19th April 1858, on which latter occasion he was severely wounded, the right arm amputated in consequence; he was noticed in Major General G. C. Whitlock's Despatch to Major General Manfisd, Chief of the Staff Bengal dated Camp Banda, 24th April 1858 as follows "Brigadier Miller, a most able and energetic Officer, "disposed of his Artillery with a skill and intelligence most "praiseworthy, and I cordially thank him. I regret to add "he was severely wounded, and that I am therefore deprived "for a time of his valuable Services."

Commanded the Artillery Recruit Depot from 25th August 1859 to 21st February 1860, the date of transfer to the Invalid Battalion, being then the 3rd Lieutenant Colonel.

ADDITIONAL BOOKS IN THE ROMAN CHARACTER FOR THE USE OF THE HINDOOSTANEE CLASS IN ARMY SCHOOLS.

G. O. C. C. No. 32, 1st March 1860.—In continuation of G. O. C. C. No. 108, dated 22d October 1859, the Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government has sanctioned the following additional Books in the Roman Character for the use of the Hindoostanee Class in Army Schools.

1. "The four Gospels and Acts," in Hindostanee Romanized.

2. "The Bagh-o-Bahar," in the Roman Character.

The above works may be indented for by Officers Commanding European Corps when required.

ARTICLES OF CLOTHING TO VOLUNTEERS FOR THE MADRAS ARTILLERY FROM HER MAJESTY'S BRITISH REGIMENTS.

G. O. C. C. No. 33, 5th March 1860.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that Government has sanctioned the issue at the cost of the State of the undermentioned Articles of Clothing to Volunteers for the Madras Artillery from Her Majesty's British Regiments.

1 Pair Cloth Trowsers.	2 Pair Khakee Trowsers.
1 Undress Jacket.	2 Pair of (Stable) Banyan Trowsers.
1 Forage Cap.	2 Cap Covers.
1 Khakee Coat.	

The Volunteers will also receive Clothing for 1860 as issued to the Troop or Company to which they are attached.

BREAKING UP OF ARTILLERY KARKHANAS 1, 6 AND 10.

G. O. C. C. No. 37, 10th March 1860—The following Artillery Karkhanas will be broken up from the date of receipt of this Order; the Bullocks being made over to the Commissariat Department, and the Equipments for Bullock Draft returned into Store. The Drivers will do duty with the Companies to which at present attached pending further orders.

No. 1 attached to C. Co. 5th Battalion Artillery.

No. 6 do to 5th Battalion Artillery Mount.

This supersedes so much of *G. O. C. C.* dated 8th Feby. 1860 as relates to this Karkhana.

No. 10 do to B. Co. 4th Battalion Artillery.

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENCES COMMITTED BY SOLDIERS UNDER TWO DISTINCT HEADS.

G. O. G. No. 107, 16th March 1860.—The following General Order by the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief in India, is republished, and the regulations therein re-

ferred to, are declared applicable to the European portion of Her Majesty's Indian Forces on the Madras Establishment.

General Order by the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief.

Camp Loodiana, 28th January 1860.

The following General Order by His Royal Highness the General Commanding in Chief is republished for information and guidance, and will have effect immediately in the three Presidencies.

Commanding Officers will be pleased to explain their Provisions carefully to those under their command and to cause a copy to be posted up on the walls of every Barrack room. Commanding Officers will proceed without loss of time to classify the Soldiers of their Regiment according to the terms of the General Order.

In the Regimental and Companies Defaulters Books (but not in any other documents whatever) a star* will be fixed to the names of all Soldiers in the second class to be erased on removal to first class.

No mark will be necessary to the names of those in the first class.†

RETURNS OF RESERVE MAGAZINES TO BE FURNISHED ANNUALLY INSTEAD OF HALF YEARLY.

G. O. C. C. No. 38, 15th March 1860.—With reference to *G. O. C. C. 27th November 1839*, the Commander in Chief on the recommendation of the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, directs that the returns of Reserve Magazines be furnished Annually on the 1st May instead of half-yearly as heretofore.

REGULATIONS REGARDING THE BOON OF TWO YEARS' SERVICE TO THE EUROPEAN TROOPS OF H. M. INDIAN FORCES.

G. O. G. No. 120, 23rd March 1860.—The following

† For Horse Guards General Orders Nos. 737 and 738, vide pages 332 to 335.

General Order by His Excellency the Governor General of India, is republished :—

**GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA.**

Camp Kamookes, dated 26th February 1860.

With reference to the boon of two years' service, granted by General Order by the Governor General dated the*12th October 1859, to the European Troops of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to publish the subjoined extract from a despatch No. 468 dated the 19th of December last, from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

Para 6. It is probable that " the boon of two years' " service will in some instances have completed the contract " engagement for ten years of the Soldiers receiving it, and " will thus have entitled them to their discharge. The " re-enlistment of such men with the usual Bounty will of " course be permitted, provided they are eligible under the " Regulations and willing to be attested on the new form " for general service."

The spirit of the concesssion is that each Soldier should receive, as far as may be, a full boon of two years' service.

Accordingly, and in order that the application of the boon may be uniform in the three Presidencies, the Governor General directs that the following construction of the concesssion shall be observed.

Soldiers will be allowed to reckon the boon towards the completion of such periods of service as, under existing regulations, entitle them to discharge or to renew with Bounty : or to reckon it or any remaining portion of it in the period for which, if fit for the service, they are allowed to renew their contract. Men renewing are in every case to be attested on the new form for general service.

* Madras G. O. G. 28th October 1859, No. 416.

**COMMITTEES ON ARTICLES OF RATIONS SUPPLIED FROM
GOVERNMENT STORES DEEMED OBJECTIONABLE.**

G. O. G. No. 121, 23rd March 1860.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

**GENERAL ORDER BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE
COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.**

Fort William, 10th February 1860.

No. 152 of 1860.—With reference to the Rule* by which the decision of a Regimental Committee is made final on occasions of the quality of Articles tendered as rations being deemed objectionable, it is directed that when Tea or any other Article of ration supplied from Government Stores is deemed objectionable, it shall in every case, be submitted to a second or Station Committees, and be dealt with according to the Rules in paragraph 8 to 19, Section XVIII. of the Military Regulations.

2. Whenever a Commissariat Officer shall place before any Committee a written opinion to the effect that any particular Article condemned will improve by keeping, the Article in question shall not be destroyed by the Committee, but shall be returned to the Commissariat Officer.

**RULES FOR THE REMITTANCE OF SAVINGS BANK BALANCE
OF INVALIDS AND OTHER SOLDIERS OF H. M. INDIAN
ARMY PROCEEDING TO EUROPE.**

G. O. G. No. 134, 30th March 1860.—With a view to the promotion of despatch in the remittance of Savings Bank balances of Invalids and other Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Army proceeding to Europe, the following rules are published for the information of the Departments and Officers

* G. O. G. No. 876 of 1853, republished in Madras, G. O. G. 15th November 1853, No. 233.

concerned, in supersession of G. O. G. dated 28th November 1848, No. 249 para 3.

2. Officers Commanding Corps, or Detachments, on receiving intimation of intended embarkation of Invalids or other Soldiers, will immediately forward a statement of their Savings Bank Balances to the Brigade Major at the Presidency.—The Secretary to the Savings Bank will pay the amount of these balances to the Presidency Paymaster

* Certified that the undermentioned men belonging to a detachment of Invalids, &c., proceeding to Europe on Board the Ship _____ are entitled to receive from H. M.'s Secretary of State in Council of India equivalent sums in sterling money at the exchange of 2s. 0½d. per Company's Rupee for the sum of Rupees _____ paid on their account into the Paymasters Treasury at Madras.

Names.	Rank.	On what account sent to Europe.	Amount in Co.'s Rs. remitted.	Amount payable in Sterling money.
A. B.....	Bombardier.	Invalid.....	0 0 0	0 0 0
C. D.....	Gunner.....	Time expired Man	0 0 0	0 0 0
E. F.....	Private.....	Pensioner.....	0 0 0	0 0 0
Total...				

H. D. S. Secretary to Govt. Savings Bank.
Madras, Govt. Savings Bank, January 1860.

for remittance to Europe, furnish the Brigade Major with the Paymaster's acknowledgment, and a Certificate in the form given in the margin* and forward copy of the acknowledgment and

Certificate to the Accountant General.

3. The Accountant General will include the remittances in a separate General Roll for transmission to England by the Mail proceeding next after receipt by him of the above acknowledgment and Certificate.

SERVICE PASSED IN THE LINE ARMY TO BE RECKONED IN COMPUTING SERVICE FOR GRATUITY AND MEDAL &c.

G. O. C. C. No. 41, 28th March 1860.—The Commander in Chief directs it to be notified that it has been decided by the Supreme Government, that the period of service passed in the Line Army by Men allowed to Volunteer into the Indian Forces, and by men of good character permitted to re-enlist into the same, is to be reckoned in their favor in computing their periods of service to entitle them to Gratuity and Medal and to Bounty on re-enlistment for further periods of service.

REGULATING THE FEED OF LIGHT CAVALRY AND LIGHT FIELD BATTERY HORSES.

G. O. C. C. No. 42, 28th March 1860.—The ordinary feed of Light Cavalry and Light Field Battery Horses, in Cantonments is henceforth to be restricted to 8 lbs. of Gram per diem, to be increased at the discretion of Officers Commanding Divisions, who will distinctly specify in a report for the Commander in Chief's information, the reasons which have in their opinion rendered an increase advisable.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADVANCES OF PAY AT THE PRESIDENCY TO BE MADE DIRECT TO THE BRIGADE MAJOR FORT SAINT GEORGE.

G. O. C. C. No. 43, 28th March 1860.—With reference to para 11, *G. O. G. 27th March 1860 No. 124*, Officers and others requiring, and under Regulations entitled to, advances of pay at the Presidency, will until further orders make application direct to the Brigade Major Fort Saint George.

2. Agreeably to page 41 of the Pay and Audit Regulations Head "Duty" the Brigade Major will transmit monthly a list of all such advances to the Depy. Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl. of the Centre Division, with a view to the same being embodied in the general List of advances forwarded to Army Head Quarters.

A. O. 1st March 1860.—I. The Commandant of Artillery directs the publication, for general information, of the sub-joined decision of Government under date the 16th February 1860, No. 682.

"In accordance with the Commander in Chief's recommendation, the Governor in Council specially sanctions the admission of the claims to the allowance of 300 Rupees per mensem, of Brevet Major Kinkead and other Captains who held the command of the Division of Madras Artillery in the Brigade of Artillery in the Saugor Field Division".

A. O. 5th March 1860.—I. The Commandant of Artillery calls the particular attention of Commanding Officers to

G. O. C. C. No. 31 dated 27th February 1860, on the subject of the classification of men with reference to punishments, and directs that Officers Commanding Corps will strictly carry out its provisions.

* Notifying that Carbines Cavalry Rifled were available for issue, and directing Indents to be forwarded for them.

A. O. 7th March
1860.—I. With
reference to A. O.*

No. 1 of the 13th December 1859, it is notified that His Excellency the Commander in Chief has approved of the European *Foot* Artillery being armed with the Artillery Rifled Carbine complete with the Sword Bayonet, in the propor-

† 24 Carbines per Field Battery.
1 Carbine per Rank and File of Reserve
Companies.

tions noted in the margin†; also of the issue, with

these Arms, of the new pattern Accoutrements recently received from England and referred to in A. O. No. I dated 20th September 1859.

2. Commanding Officers are accordingly directed to submit Indents for these Arms and Accoutrements as early as practicable, through the prescribed channel.

3. So much of A. O. No. I of the 13th December 1859 as directs Officers Commanding Horse Batteries to indent for Cavalry Carbines is cancelled.

A. O. 14th March 1860.—I. With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 36 of the 10th instant making the provisions of

‡ G. O. C. C. No. 124 dated 20th December 1859. Directing special Medical Committees to be convened at all stations, for the examination of men considered not thoroughly fit for Field service.

G. O. G. No. 2 dated 3rd January 1860. Directing all men of 3 years service or under to be paid up and discharged with Gratuities.

the General orders noted in the margin‡ applicable to the Native Driver (Horse Battery and Karkhana) estab-

lishments of the Regiment, the Commandant of Artillery directs that Officers Commanding Artillery at stations will,

without delay, report *direct* to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery.

1st. The names of men who, under para. 3 of G. O. G. 3rd January 1860, have been paid up and discharged ;

2nd. The number of men of each rank about to be brought before Special Medical Invaliding Committees, specifying those who, by reason of shortness of service, are not entitled to Pension, from those who are entitled ;—and

3rd. The names of men who have availed themselves of discharge under para. 6 of G. O. C. C. No. 142 dated 20th December 1859.

2. Commanding Officers are requested to bear in mind that by G. O. C. C. No. 142 of 1859, all men who may be considered “ by Commanding and Medical Officers not thoroughly fit for Field Service ” are to be brought before these Special Medical Committees.

A. O. 20th March 1860.—I. The following is published for general information.

No. 11084.

CIRCULAR MEMO.

Indent Department.

With reference to para. 19 of Circular order No. 26 of 17th December 1852, and in order to facilitate the disposal of requisitions from Corps and Departments dependent on the Grand Arsenal and Stationery Depôt for supplies, indenting Officers are requested to forward the same in future *direct* to the Principal Commissary of Ordnance and Superintendent of Stationery, who, after checking them in the usual manner, will transmit them to this Office for disposal.

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,	} (Signed) G. W. Y. SIMPSON, Lt. Col.
FORT SAINT GEORGE,	
15th March 1860.	

Actg. Insp. Genl. of Ord. and Magazines

A. O. No. 4, 28th March 1860.—1. The Commandant of Artillery directs the special attention of Commanding Officers to para. 13 of G. O. C. C. No. 63 dated 10th October 1853 page 346, on the subject of the Clothing of Soldiers being in general too tightly fitted.

2. It has been remarked by the Inspecting Officer at a recent inspection of a detachment of the Regiment that the clothing of the men is fitted too tightly for comfort, and His Excellency the Commander in Chief, considering the practice of clothing the men tightly to be very objectionable, has directed that it be strictly prohibited in future. The Commandant of Artillery accordingly requests that particular attention be given to this point throughout the Regiment, so as to obviate the necessity of its being again remarked upon by Superior Authority.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At.</i>
23rd March	Lieut. S. Penny,	Calcutta	Madras.
24th "	Capt. (Bt. Maj.) H. H. Bell,	Moulmein	"
" "	Lieut. F. C. Trevor,	Rangoon	"

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
1st March	Captain H. E. Hicks,	} Madras	China.
	2d Capt. J. McK. Macintyre,		
	Lieut. J. G. Marshall,		
	" W. H. Mc. Causland,		
	" W. A. Warren,		
	" B. Yaldwyn,		
	" C. W. Brereton,	} "	Europe.
	" C. C. Saxton,		
4th "	" J. Hoyes,		
	" C. H. A. Gower,	"	"
15th "	" G. A. Goldingham,	"	"

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
2d March	Captain C. M. J. Thornton, } 2nd Captain R. C. Henchy, }	To take rank from 10th February 1860, vice Kinkead deceased.
	Senior 2d Capt. W. F. B. Laurie—To be Capt. { " Lieut. A. J. Ogilvie—To be 2d Captain. {	In succession to Cooke promoted; date of commissions 22d February 1860.
9th "	Lieut. R. Alexander, } " P. Sanderson, } " D. Cowie, } " R. M. Macdonald, } " G. F. E. S. Neill, } " C. R. E. Wheatley. }	Date of rank fixed 9th December 1859.
13th "	Lieut. R. A. Baker,—	Permanently appointed to the Hyderabad Contingent, and confirmed in the Command of the 2d Company of Artillery.
20th "	Senior 2d Capt. A. C. Jones,—To be Captain. " Lieut. P. St. G. Grange,—To be 2d Capt.	Vice Collingwood deceased, date of commissions, 8th March 1860.
30th "	2d Capt. J. F. A. McNair, } Executive Engineer at Singapore. }	To officiate as Chief Engineer, in addition to his other duties.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

1860	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
14th March	Capt. R. G. H. Grant,	B. Co. 2d Battn.	D. Troop H. B.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
13th March	Lieut. Col. J. E. Mawdsley,—	Bombay on medical certificate.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
6th March	Lieut. Col. G. S. Cotter, } Captain J. De C. Sinclair, } 2d Capt. E. W. Dance, } Lieut. F. E. Hadow, }	Leave extended for 6 months.
" "	Lieut. G. A. Goldingham,—	On medical certificate under the old regulations and to embark from Madras.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1860.

7th March Lieutenant J. G. Marshall,	} Passed the examination pre-
„ H. W. Hastings,	
„ W. Bisset.	

scribed for Officers of Companies.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

2nd March 1860.

5th November 1858.—By the Officer Commanding Saugor Field Division, appointing Captain C. H. Harrison of the Artillery, Brigade Major of the Artillery Division, to have effect from the 22nd November 1858, vice Captain Gosling relieved.

20th March 1860.

24th February 1860.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Madras Artillery appointing Lieutenant W. D. Kerrich to act as Adjutant of the 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, from 24th February 1860. without prejudice to his appointment as acting Quarter Master of the Battalion vice 2nd Captain J. M. Macintyre proceeded to Madras for embarkation for China.

DEATH

At Kamptee on the 7th March 1860, Captain C. T. Collingwood Artillery.

Captain C. T. Collingwood was a Cadet of 1840 and arrived in India 7th July 1841.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 11th December 1840: as 1st Lieutenant 26th March 1844; as Captain in the Army 11th December 1855, and as Captain in the Regiment 17th June 1857.

Was employed during the China Expedition from 12th March 1842 till the proclamation of peace on 29th August 1842, and was present at the Capture of Shanghai 19th June 1842:—Storming of Ching-Keang-Foo 21st July 1842, and operations before Nankin in August 1842.—Captain (then 2d Lieutenant) Collingwood's conduct was reported upon in most

favourable terms by Major F. Blundell, Commanding Madras Artillery Eastern Expedition to the Brigade Major Artillery in letter dated, Camp Ching-Keang-Foo, 22nd July 1842.

Was Assistant Engineer at Kolungsoo (China) from 1st November 1843 to 15th May 1844, and Acting Barrack Master from 16th May 1844 to May 1845.—Assistant Engineer at Chusan from May 1845 to 15th April 1846.

Passed in Hindoostanee at the College as Adjutant 28th May 1847, and as Interpreter 6th September 1847.

Was Acting Adjutant Golundauze Battalion from 30th June to 5th October 1847.—Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 3rd Battalion from 10th February to 17th November 1848, and Adjutant and Quarter Master 3rd Battalion from 17th November 1848 to 10th June 1857; in the mean time was Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 2nd Battalion from 26th January to 15th April 1849:—Staff Officer of Artillery Saugor Division from 17th January 1851 to 25th January 1856; in charge of the Commissariat Department, and Acting Superintendent of Police at Saugor from 27th August 1855 to 24th January 1856.

Commanded No. 11 Horse Battery from 24th January 1859 to 7th March 1860, the date of his decease, being then the 30th Captain.

**CERTIFICATE RELATIVE TO THE APPLICATION OF THE
ISSUE OF GRAIN FOR TROOPS FROM THE PUBLIC STORES
DISPENSED WITH.**

G. O. G. No. 143, 3d April 1860.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the Certificate

This is to Certify that the Officer Commanding (here insert Corps or Detachment) at _____ did apply for the issue of Grain to the Troops under his Command for the month of _____ but that it was impracticable (or inexpedient as the case may be) to issue Grain from the Public Stores at this Station—

(Station and date)
(Signature of the Commanding Officer of the Station.)

prescribed by G. O. G. 19th October 1855, No. 263, quoted in the margin, be dispensed with. Officers Comman-

ding Stations will however retain the power to sanction the

issue of Grain in kind from the Public Stores, should circumstances render it expedient.

SMALL ACCOUNT BOOKS OF INVALIDS &c. PROCEEDING TO EUROPE TO BE REGULARLY AND PROPERLY POSTED BEFORE LEAVING THEIR CORPS.

G. O. C. C. No. 44, 4th April 1860.—The Commander in Chief directs that Officers Commanding European Regiments shall consider it their imperative duty to *see* that the small account Books of Invalids, time expired and discharged Men, proceeding to Europe are regularly and properly posted up before they leave their Corps; and that an Extract from the Regimental Records, showing distinctly the Men's claims, which possibly it may be impracticable to adjust be prepared in duplicate, and one copy forwarded to the Fort Adjutant, Fort Saint George, and the other given to the Officer taking charge of the Soldiers, or to the Soldier himself as the case may be.

2. His Excellency is further pleased to enjoin that the Account Books in question shall on no pretence whatever be taken from the Men, but they are to keep possession of them so that they may produce them at any time for the inspection of the Fort Adjutant; who, in the event of any Officer Commanding a Corps neglecting to furnish him with the before mentioned documents (or a corrected account if necessary,) will include in his Remittance Roll the amount appearing in the Soldier's Account Book to be due to him, and recover from such Officer so failing in his duty any difference in excess which may subsequently appear to exist between the amount entered in the Account Book and that shown in the Regimental Records to be at the Soldier's credit.

3. The Remittance Rolls should include all monies bona-fide the property of the Soldier, which he may desire to remit; and the usual certificate should in all cases be given to him.

4. The practice of placing any part of the Soldier's money in the hands of the Officer appointed to their charge with a view to its being delivered to them on landing, is objectionable, and to be discontinued; it being of much importance that as little money as possible should be at the disposal of the Men before their arrival at the place where they intend permanently to reside.

**THE ZEAL OF THE A. AND SUPPLEMENTAL COMPANY
NATIVE ARTILLERY NOTICED BY HER MAJESTY'S GO-
VERNMENT.**

G. O. G. No. 155, 11th April 1860.—The Honorable the Governor in Council has much satisfaction in publishing the following Extract of a Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

Despatch dated 8th March 1860, No. 39.

“ In your Military Letter No. 283, dated 10th December 1859, you report that the A. Company and the 1st Supplemental Company of Native Artillery have volunteered for service in China.

2. Her Majesty's Government have received with much gratification this additional proof of the zeal of the Madras Native Army in Her Majesty's Service.”

**RULE REGARDING STAFF PAY TO OFFICERS ACTING IN
ROOM OF ANOTHER APPLIED TO MILITARY OFFICERS
IN CIVIL EMPLOY.**

G. O. G. No. 172, 17th April 1860.—The following Notification from the *Calcutta Gazette*, is republished in General Orders;—

No. 25.

Financial Department Fort William, the 28th March 1860.

The following Extract from a Despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 19 of 1860, dated the 8th February, is published for general information:—

Para. 4.—The rule laid down in the Despatch in this Department, No. 78, dated 4th November 1857, which provides that “no Officer appointed to act for another is entitled to full Staff pay until he shall have been performing those duties for more than six months,” may be applied to all cases of Military Officers in Civil employ as recommended by your Government.

Letter dated 21st October 1859, No. 191.

REGULATIONS REGARDING THE ISSUE OF SPIRITS WITH RATIONS ON BOARD SHIP.

G. O. C. C. No. 45, 14th April 1860.—The Commander-in-Chief directs the publication of the following Extract from Her Majesty’s Regulations regarding the issue of Spirits with the Ration on Board Ship, the provisions of which are to be strictly observed on all occasions of European Troops of this Army proceeding by Sea.

“When Rum or any other spirit is supplied with the Rations, it is to be mixed with at least three parts of water to one of spirit—the Commanding Officer on board is responsible that this order is rigidly complied with—the practice which it is understood has sometimes prevailed of issuing to the Troops in the morning or before dinner a proportion of the allowance of spirit in its raw state is strictly forbidden.

The Officer of the day is invariably to attend to see the spirit mixed in the proportion above specified and issued to the Troops.”

REDUCTION IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NO. 9 KARKHANA

G. O. C. C. No. 48, 16th April 1860.—The Establishment of No. 9 Karkhana attached to the Company of Gollundauze Artillery at Cuttack has been reduced to 1 Darogah, 1 Choudry, 33 Drivers and 66 Bullocks:—all in excess of this Establishment now at Cuttack, will be retained and absorbed under instructions which have been communicated to the Officer Commanding Northern Division:—the Bullocks of the detachment of the Karkhana at Vizianagram

have been ordered to be made over to the Commissariat Department, and the surplus Drivers to be eventually sent to the Mount for final disposal.

REDUCING THE NUMBER OF MONTHLY RETURNS FURNISHED BY OFFICERS COMMANDING DETACHED TROOPS AND COMPANIES.

G. O. C. C. No. 49, 23rd April 1860.—His Excellency the Commander in Chief having had under his consideration the numerous returns which under existing regulations, have to be furnished to Local Authorities by Officers Commanding Detached Troops and Companies of Artillery, and in order to reduce the same, as far as is compatible with those authorities being in possession of all requisite information, is pleased to direct that, from date of receipt of this order, the number of Monthly Returns be restricted to three, as follows:

One to Head Quarters of Brigade or Battalion.

One to Head Quarters of Artillery in Division.

One to the Staff of the Station where serving.

2. The Officers Commanding the Artillery in the Division will prepare one Return for the Divisional Staff from that of the Troop or Company, to enable the Officer Commanding to prepare his General Return for Army Head Quarters and one Return for Artillery Head Quarters, to enable the Commandant to prepare the Return of the Regiment of Artillery for Army Head Quarters.

SENTENCE BY COURTS MARTIAL TO FORFEITURE OF PAY AND ALLOWANCES INCLUDES ALSO FORFEITURE OF RATIONS.

G. O. C. C. No. 50, 23rd April 1860.—With reference to Sec. II. Act No. VI of 1860, published in G. O. G. 5th April 1860, No. 150, the Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that in accordance with a decision of Government, a Sentence by Court Martial to forfeiture of Pay and Allowances also includes forfeiture of Rations of Military Prisoners publicly subsisted.

OFFICERS NOT TO ENCAMP UPON GROUND, WHERE CHOLERA HAS SHEWN ITSELF IN A PRECEDING CORPS OR DETACHMENT.

G. O. G. No. 190, 27th April 1860.—The Governor in Council directs that the following addition be made to para 49 of the regulations regarding MARCHES, published in G. O. G. 27th May 1856, No. 166.

“ Officers are strictly enjoined never, under any circumstances, to encamp upon ground, however inviting it may appear, where Cholera has shewn itself in a preceding Corps or Detachment.”

ORDERS REGARDING KHAKEE CLOTHING APPLICABLE TO OFFICERS OF ARTILLERY.

G. O. C. C. No. 51, 28th April 1860.—The Commander

1. G. O. C. C. 17th August 1859, No. 76.

2. Memo. dated Adj. General's Office, 12th April 1860.

in Chief is pleased

to declare the provisions of the orders as per margin regarding Khakee Clothing, applicable to Officers of the Regiment of Artillery.

A. O. 11th April 1860.—I. The following is published for general information and guidance.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter.

From the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Fort William, 16th March, 1860. No. 759; to the Acting Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

With reference to the enquiry contained in your letter No. 304 of the 21st January 1860, I am directed to acquaint you, for the information of the Government of Fort Saint George, that the European Non-Commissioned Officers with the Artillery Recruit Depôt, and the Artillery Depot of Instruction at Meerut, are not Supernumeraries, but are on

the strength of the Artillery Regiment, though not on that of any Brigade or Battalion.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lieut. Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

A. O. No. 5, 30th April 1860.—I. With reference to G. O. C. C. No. 49 of the 23d instant, the Commandant of Artillery directs that Troops and Companies at Head Quarters of Brigade and Battalions be exempted from sending in monthly Returns to the Adjutant, but that the Book containing the Return be taken to the Adjutant's Office, to admit of the Return of the Corps for Artillery and Army Head Quarters being made out from it.

2. Much unnecessary writing may, it is conceived, be saved to Troops and Companies at their own Head Quarters, and correctness more likely to be ensured, if the Books themselves, and not copies therefrom, were sent to the Adjutant's or Quarter Master's Office, to admit of any General Return or Roll of the Corps required being copied and completed therefrom.

3. Whenever access to a Troop or Company Books has been had with this view, the Adjutant or Quarter Master, as the case may be, will affix his initials to the signature of the Commanding Officer, not merely as an acknowledgment that the Return &c. has been received at the Head Quarters of the Corps, but as a voucher for its correctness.

4. Commanding Officers of Corps are directed to carry out this practice as much as possible, and endeavour to lighten the scriptory duties of Troop and Company Commanding Officers, so that more time may be at their disposal for instructing those under their command in the many other important parts of their profession.

5. Commanding Officers are invited to offer suggestions for reducing the number of Books, Returns &c. from time to time, to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, for submission to the Commandant of Artillery.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At.</i>
2nd April	2nd Capt. R. A. Peach,	Europe	Madras.
11th „	Gent. Cadet Mr. R. Alexander,	}	„
„ „	„ Mr. D. Cowie,		
„ „	„ Mr. G. F. E. S. Neill,		
„ „	„ Mr. C. R. E. Wheatley,		
„ „	Captain W. C. F. Gosling,	Bellary	St. Thomas' Mount.
27th „	Lieut. H. P. T. MacCarthy	Calcutta	„
„ „	„ W. Bryden,	}	Jubbulpore „
„ „	„ St. J. C. Shawe,		

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
— April	Lieut. R. T. Hamond,	Madras	Trichinopoly.
— „	Capt. (Maj.) T. H. Campbell,	„	Bangalore.
28th „	Lieut. F. C. Trevor	St. Thomas' Mount	„
29th „	„ F. S. Budd	Madras	Europe.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
4th April	Lieut. F. C. Trevor,—The G. O. C. C. dated 1st February 1860 appointing Lieutenant Trevor to do duty Horse Brigade cancelled at that Officer's request.	
11th „	Gent. Cadet Mr. R. Alexander,	} Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenants.
	„ Mr. D. Cowie,	
	„ Mr. G. F. E. S. Neill,	
	„ Mr. C. R. E. Wheatley,	

1860.

Names.

To.

13th April Lieut. H. G. Thomson,—To be 2nd Assistant Adjutant General of the Army, with effect from 13th April 1860.

17th „ Lieut. F. C. Trevor,—Reappointed to do duty with the Horse Brigade during the absence in Europe of Lieutenant J. Stewart, or until further orders.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1860.						
5th April.	Head Quarters F. Comp. 5th Battalion Artillery [Golundauze.]	Burmah		Cuttack		
	B. Company 4th Battalion Artillery	On route to Fort Saint George.		St. Thomas' Mount.		
4th „	Lieut. Colonel C. J. Cooke.	late promotion.		...	5th	
	Capt. [Major] G. M. Gumm.	D.	4th	D.	2nd	
	„ A. N. Scott.	C.	4th	A.	4th	
	„ C. M. J. Thornton.	late promotion.		C.	4th	
	„ W. F. B. Laurie.	do.		D.	5th	
	„ A. C. Jones.	do.		D.	4th	To join.
	2nd Capt. G. Carleton.	C.	H. B.	E.	H. B.	
	„ R. L. Playfair.	B.	4th	C.	3rd	
	„ R. A. Peach.	F.	5th	B.	4th	To join on arrival from England.
	„ R. C. Henchy.	late promotion.		A.	2nd	
	„ A. J. Ogilvie.	do.		D.	H. B.	
	„ P. St. G. Græme.	do.		F.	5th	
	Lieut. W. F. Grey.	Unposted.		C.	H. B.	To join.
	„ S. Penny C. Company 5th Battalion.	...	.....	Do duty Recruit Depot.		To join.
	„ C. J. McMahon doing duty Horse Brigade.	A.	5th	Horse Brigade Effective.		
23rd „	Capt. [Major] G. M. Gumm.	D.	2nd	D.	1st	
	„ W. S. Mann.	D.	1st	D.	2nd	
	„ F. G. Nuthall.	Horse Brigade Effective.		Horse Brigade Effective.		To proceed to Waltair and assume Command of B. Company 2nd and No. 10 Horse Battery to have effect from date of arrival of F. Troop Horse Brigade at Bangalore.
	2nd Capt. C. Raikes.	B.	2nd	D.	3rd	To join on being relieved by Captain Nuthall.
30th „	„ J. R. Magrath.	D.	3rd	B.	2nd	
	Lieut. H. G. Pritchard.	A.	4th	A.	3rd	To await arrival of the Company at Bangalore.
	„ J. W. Macdougall.	D.	4th	A.	4th	To join.
	„ J. H. Gleig.	...	.....	D.	4th	To join at Rangoon on the expiration of his leave.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	Names.	Remarks.
3rd April	Capt. (Colonel) W. M. Gabbett, Captain C. D. Waddell, " G. B. E. Holmes, Lieut. C. R. Buckle,	} Leave extended for 6 months.
13th "	Lieut. Colonel J. E. Mawdsley,—On Medical Certificate for	
		eighteen months under the new Furlough Regulations.

SERVICES.

1860.		
	* * * *	} Under instructions from Government the Officers named in the margin, will be permitted to count as service the periods of leave entered against their names.
	* * * *	
4th April	Brevet Major L. Bridge, Madras Artillery—18 months.	
20th "	2nd Captain J. R. Magrath,—Services placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, for employment as Superintendent of the Hill Tracts of Chittagong.	

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

20th April 1860.

5th April 1860.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing Lieutenant F. C. Trevor, to act as Adjutant of the Battalion from the 5th April 1860, vice Lieutenant W. D. Kerrich relieved, and during the absence of Lieutenant and Adjutant W. D. Forster on sick certificate to Europe, or until further orders.

24th April 1860.

13th April 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Mysore Division, appointing Lieutenant Thomson, Horse Brigade Artillery, to act as Aid-de-Camp to Major General the Hon'ble A. Spencer, C. B., from the 4th April 1860, without prejudice to his Regimental duties.

PENSIONS TO WARRANT OFFICERS NOT ENTITLED TO THE ADVANTAGES OF THE GRADE ON ACCOUNT OF INSUFFICIENT SERVICE IN THE DEPARTMENT.

G. O. G. No. 198, 1st May 1860.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 17th April 1860.

No. 406 of 1860.—The Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India has decided that all Warrant Officers, after 21 years' service, who are not entitled to the advantages of the grade on account of insufficient service in the Department, shall be allowed the pension of the rank next below that of Sub-Conductor, *viz.*, that of Serjeant Major, being (2) two shillings and (6) sixpence per diem, or (45) forty-five pounds (12) twelve shillings and (6) sixpence per annum, provided that the last five years of service shall have been in a rank superior to that of Serjeant.

REGULATIONS RESPECTING PAY, SEA CLOTHING AND STORES FOR RECRUITS PROCEEDING TO INDIA FROM THE DEPOT AT WARLEY.

G. O. G. No. 202, 4th May 1860.—The following Extract from a despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 29th March 1860, No. 60, with the enclosure therein referred to, is published:—

Para 1. A practice has heretofore existed under which an allowance termed "Ship Money," has been issued to Recruits for all Arms of the Service on their embarking for India, from which certain deductions were made for Stores and certain articles of Sea Clothing supplied to them for their use on the passage. Her Majesty's Government have now determined that that practice shall cease, and that in lieu thereof, the Soldier shall receive the pay of his rank accord-

ing to the Arm of the service to which he belongs from the date to which it was issued in England, up to that of his debarkation in India, and that deductions shall be made therefrom for Rations, and for such Stores and Sea Clothing as may be supplied to him under the regulation, a copy of which is enclosed.

2. This Regulation will be in force from the present date, but will not have any retrospective operation.

Draft of a Regulation respecting the Pay, Sea Clothing, and Stores for Recruits proceeding to India from the Depot at Warley.

1. Every Recruit on leaving the Depot, will have his accounts closed up to the day of embarkation, and a certificate showing the date of last payment will accompany the usual Embarkation Roll to the Government of the Presidency to which he proceeds, the balance of this final account will be entered in his Pocket Ledger.

2. Every Recruit on his arrival in India, will be entitled to receive, subject to the deduction mentioned below, the pay of his rank according to the Arm of the service to which he belongs, from the date up to which it was issued in England, up to that of his debarkation in India.

3. The following articles of Sea Clothing and Sea Stores will be put on Board for each Recruit on embarking, and the cost of the same (which is unavoidably liable to variation) will be recovered from him on the settlement of his accumulated pay, and credited to Government in the Pay Abstracts of the Regiment or Depot to which he may be posted; for this purpose returns (according to Form annexed) of the issues to each man will be transmitted to India with the detachment on board each Ship.

Sea Clothing.

2 Check Shirts.

1 Pair of Canvas Trowsers.

Sea Stores.

3 lbs. of Tobacco.

2 lbs. of Yellow Soap.

1 Canvas Frock.	4 lbs. of Marine Soap.
1 Forage Cap.	1 Paper of Thread and Needles.
2 Quilted Cap Covers.	3 Tins of Blacking.
1 Pair of Shoes.	1 Tin pot and cover.
1 Haversack.	1 Scrubbing brush.
2 Flannel Stomach Bands.	Share of Swabs.
1 Neck Handkerchief.	Marking Sea Clothing.

4. Similar returns (according to annexed Form) will be filled up by the Officer in Command of the Troops, showing the Rations and other authorized stoppages against the Soldier, during the voyage—and both returns will be handed over to the Town Major, or Officer who may receive the Troops on their arrival; the object being that every article issued to the Recruit since leaving the Depot shall appear as a charge against the Soldier in the first account opened with him in India.

5. To enable the Officer in Command of the Troops to meet any contingent expense that may occur during the voyage, cash to the amount of five shillings per man, will be handed to him by the Paymasters of the Depot, which he will account for on his arrival in India, debiting each man with any expenditure made on his behalf.

(Signed) JOHN THOMAS LESLIE, Col., *Commandant*.

Warley Barracks, 14th January 1860.

FORM OF ORDER FOR CONVENING COMMITTEES OF ADJUSTMENT ON THE EFFECTS OF DECEASED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 205, 4th May 1860.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the subjoined Form of a Division, Station, Regimental, or Detachment Order, for convening Committees of Adjustment on the Effects of the deceased Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, which has been approved by the Government Law Officers.

2. This Form (with such modifications as circumstances may require,) is to be invariably adopted on such occasions—and a copy of the Order duly filled up as issued, is to accompany all requisitions to parties, holding assets, &c., belonging to Estates whenever a demand is made upon them for the same.

FORM.

.....Order by..... Commanding.....

The undermentioned Officers are hereby directed and authorised to collect and secure all the Effects and Assets*due or belonging to the Estate of the late.....

* Here insert the word "in Camp" if the deceased shall have died in Camp; or "in Quarters" if the deceased shall have died in Quarters.

† In this place should be inserted a specific description of any property (other than that in Camp and Quarters) which the deceased is known to have died possessed of, viz, Bank Shares, Government Securities or the like.

.....of the.....who died at.....on theand will assemble as a Committee of Adjustment, for the above purpose at.....on the.....†

PRESIDENT.

.....

MEMBERS.

.....

.....

The Proceedings of the Committee when completed are to be transmitted to the Officer Commanding, and the Committee adjourned.

☞ If the Officer Commanding on the Station shall not be aware, when he issues the original Order for which this Form is intended, that the deceased possessed any such property as Bank Shares, Government Securities or the like, he may afterwards, on such property coming to his knowledge, issue an Order to the Committee of Adjustment, directing them to secure such newly discovered property, describing the same property, and that such last mentioned order will suffice, under Article 29 and Section 61 of 20 and 21 Vict. C. 66, to enable the Committee to demand and sue for such property.

DISPOSAL OF THE ESTATE OF DECEASED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS WHO DIE INTESTATE.

G. O. G. No. 207, 4th May 1860.—The following Extract of a Military Despatch, from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 29th March 1860, No. 59, is published for general information.

Para. 2.—“ The estates of all deceased Officers and Soldiers who die intestate, must be divided in accordance with the Law, which provides that, in the case of the deceased leaving a Widow and Child, or Children, the Widow is entitled to one third of his Estate; if there is no child she is entitled to one half.”

RULES FOR THE SUPPLY OF WICKER HELMETS FOR EUROPEAN TROOPS.

G. O. C. C. No. 57, 1st May 1860.—His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to notify that Government has approved of the following rules for the supply of Wicker Helmets for European Troops.

One Wicker Helmet, at a cost not exceeding Rupees 3 for mounted Men and Rupees 2 for other branches of the Service, is to be allowed to each Man on the strength of a Regiment, Company or Troop. Recruits who are supplied with Helmets on arrival in India, will not be allowed new Helmets on joining the Head Quarters of Corps.

2. Until experience shows what period a Wicker Helmet will last in a serviceable condition, it is impracticable to fix any date for renewal; but for the present, after the Helmets shall have been in use twelve months, they may be renewed on being declared to be unserviceable by a Committee, approved of by Officers Commanding Stations.

3. No money compensation will be given for the difference in cost between the Wicker Helmets and Caps of the old pattern.

4. Two Covers and a Turban are to be issued with each Helmet: at a total cost not exceeding the sums above specified.

5. A Helmet once issued becomes the property of the Soldier, and may be taken away by him on quitting the Regiment, or it may be sold on the death of a Soldier and the proceeds credited to the Estate.

OFFICERS PASSED FOR LEAVE TO EUROPE ON SICK CERTIFICATE, STATE OF HEALTH FOR DUTY WITH TROOPS, TO BE ENTERED AT FOOT OF PROCEEDINGS.

G. O. C. C. No. 59, 5th May 1860.—On all occasions of officers being passed by the Presidency Board of Medical Officers for leave to Europe on sick certificate, a N. B. is to be entered at the foot of the proceedings, stating whether the officer's state of health will admit of his being detailed for duty with Troops proceeding to England. And Officers who obtain leave on medical certificate are warned not to engage a passage to England privately, until they ascertain that their services will not be required on public duty.

PRINCIPLES WHICH REGULATE THE GRANT OF MEDALS TO SERJEANTS FOR "GOOD CONDUCT" &c. &c.

G. O. G. No. 220, 11th May 1860.—The following General Order by His Excellency the Governor General of India, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

Simla, 18th April 1860.

His Excellency the Governor General is pleased to publish the following Copy of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum, dated 1st June 1859, No. 170, defining the principles which regulate the grant of Medals to Serjeants for "Good Conduct" and "Long Service" and for "distinguished Conduct in the Field":—

CIRCULAR MEMORANDUM ADDRESSED TO THE ARMY AT
HOME AND ABROAD.

HORSE GUARDS, S. W., 1st June 1859.

GENERAL NO. 170. *Medal and Gratuities, 1* (1859.)

It being desirable that the principles which regulate the grant of Annuities and Medals to Serjeants who may be already in possession of Medals and Gratuities should be more clearly defined than they are at present, the following Rules have been framed by His Royal Highness the General Commanding-in-Chief, in concurrence with the Secretary of State for War, for the guidance of the Army generally :—

1. The Medal accompanying the Annuity, and inscribed “ for Meritorious Service,” is to be considered as given for service of the same nature as that accompanying the Gratuity. “ For Long Service and Good Conduct,” the former being held by Serjeants only, the latter by Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates indifferently.

2. Both Annuity and Gratuity are also given, under special circumstances, accompanied by Medals similarly inscribed “ For distinguished Conduct in the Field.”

3. When a Serjeant, on becoming an Annuitant, receives a Medal denoting by its inscription that it is given for service similar to that for which he has already received a Medal, he will be required to relinquish the latter Medal, together with its accompanying Gratuity, and to sign a Declaration that he does so voluntarily.

4. When, however, the inscription on the Medal granted to a Serjeant, together with an Annuity, shows that it is given for service of a different nature from that for which he already holds a Medal, he will be required to relinquish the Gratuity only, making a like declaration as to the voluntary relinquishment.

5. Commanding Officers are at liberty to recommend the re-appropriation of a relinquished Gratuity to any other

deserving Soldier or Soldiers, provided they shall have been serving in the year for which the Gratuity was originally awarded, and shall have fulfilled the required conditions as to service and character in that year.

By Command.

(Signed) G. A. WETHERALL, *Adj. Genl.*

It is notified that Her Majesty's Government have resolved that the principle laid down in the above Memorandum shall be made applicable to Her Majesty's Indian Army.

**FORM OF INVENTORY AND ACCOUNT CURRENT OF EFFECTS
OF DECEASED SOLDIERS.**

G. O. G. No. 222, 11th May 1860.—Under instructions from the Government of India, the following Form of Inventory and Account Current are established from this date, in lieu of those referred to in Para 20, Section II. of G. O. G. No. 79 of the 22nd April 1851, which are hereby cancelled.

Inventory and Account Sale of Effects of the late.

No.	Articles.	Amount.		No.	Articles.	Amount.	
		Rs.	A. P.			Rs.	A. P.
					Brought forward...		
	Total Rs.....				Total Rupees.....		

I hereby certify that the above is a true and just Inventory of all the Articles belonging to the deceased as far as can be ascertained, that I attended the sale of the Effects at a fair and open Auction, and that this is a true statement of the particulars thereof in every respect.

Dated _____ } _____ } Commanding Troop or Compy.

On the back of the *Inventory* the following Form of endorsement is to be strictly observed in the same order as subjoined.

Estate of the late
 Regimental Number
 Christian and Surname at full length
 Rank
 Corps
 Date and place of decease
 Intestate or Will left
 Name in full and address of Widow
 do do of Children
 Particulars regarding next of Kin
 Legatee's name and address

Statement of the Accounts of } Enlisted at _____ on the _____
 No _____ of the _____ } joined the Regiment at _____
 Regiment of _____ } on the _____

Date.	Dr.	Amount.			Date.	Cr.	Amount.		
		Rs.	A	P.			Rs.	A	P.
	To Funeral charges as per receipt No. _____					By arrears of Pay from _____ to _____			
	To Hospital Stoppages as per receipt No. _____					By Funeral allowance _____			
	To Auctioneer's Commission as per receipt No. _____					By sale of Effects _____			
	Balance Creditor.								
	Total Rupees..					Total Rupees..			

I do hereby certify that, having carefully examined the above account, I find the same correct in every particular; that it agrees in every respect with the Man's account in the Ledger: and that the necessities and all other effects and credits are properly accounted for therein.

Dated _____ } _____ } Commanding Troop or Compy.

The above documents are to be written, on not less than $\frac{1}{2}$ a sheet of Foolscap paper, and when incorrectly forwarded as to form, will be liable to be returned "*Bearing*," for correction.

RULES RELATING TO THE GRANT OF FURLOUGH TO EUROPE OF WELL CONDUCTED AND DESERVING NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

G. O. G. No. 226, 15th May 1860.—The following Extract of a Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published in General Orders :—

Despatch dated 7th April 1860, No. 62.

1. " With reference to the General Order in Council of India, No. 2, dated the 6th June last, relative to the grant of Furlough to Europe to well conducted and deserving Non-Commissioned Officers, I have to request that the particular attention of the Commander in Chief, may be directed to the opinion of Her Majesty's Government on the subject,

• See G. O. G. 23rd December 1859, No. 491. as expressed in paras. 29

• 31 of my Despatch*
to India, No. 373, dated 30th October last, Copy of which is herewith forwarded for your information and guidance, and to desire that the Furlough granted be strictly limited to the few special cases contemplated in para. 30 of that Despatch.

2. " Her Majesty's Government have established for such cases the following Rules.

" The leave of those Men whose state of health may render a change of climate advisable, who are considered deserving of the indulgence, and who may be fit to do duty with Invalids and discharged Men on the voyage from India, is to be limited to a short leave to visit their friends in Europe.

" The Furlough granted under Medical Certificate as absolutely necessary, will expire in England at the period of one year from the date of quitting India.

" Every Man whose state of health has not sufficiently recovered at the period when he is called upon to return, will undergo a Medical Examination as to the probability,

within a reasonable period, of his being fit for further duty in India.

“ Those Men who may be reported unequal to further service with the Regiment, or Department, to which they belong, will not be permitted to return to duty, but will be dealt with under the Regulations, and in no case will any Man be allowed to return to India with a view to his being placed upon the Invalid Establishment in that Country.

“ No period of leave passed by any Man out of India will be allowed to reckon as Service for Pension.

“ It is to be distinctly understood that no Man enlisted under the limited Service act be allowed to come to England during his first period of Service.

“ The only allowance to be paid to Men who obtain leave of absence, will be the rate of pay for the time being for Men of the same rank in Her Majesty's British Army, and good conduct pay, when in possession of that reward.

3. “ With reference to the Extract from a General Order by the Commander in Chief at Bombay, dated 30th July last, quoted in the

The Commander in Chief is pleased to announce that passage to Europe will be provided for the families of Non-Commissioned Officers obtaining Furlough, under the provisions of G. O. C. No. 2 of the 6th June 1859. margin, I have to state that, in conceding the grant

of Furlough, with a free passage to and from Europe, to deserving Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Army whose health requires a change of climate, it is not the intention of Her Majesty's Government that passages at the public expense should also be provided for the wives or families of those Men; but with the view of assisting such married Men as may desire to bring their wives and families with them, you are authorised to grant them an allowance of Twenty pounds (£ 20)”

RULE UNDER WHICH OFFICERS OF 22 YEARS SERVICE ARE ENTITLED TO RETIRE ON THE PAY OF THEIR REGIMENTAL RANK.

G. O. G. No. 232, 18th May 1860.—The following Extract of a Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, is published in General Orders :—

Despatch dated 14th April 1860, No. 65.

I have had under my consideration in Council, the rule under which Officers of 22 years Indian Service, are entitled to retire on the pay of their Regimental Rank. This privilege which is granted to Officers under the joint operation of the Regulations of 1796 and 1854, may in some cases be rendered inoperative by the regulation of 1801, which precludes them from claiming for retirement the benefit of rank which they may attain after the expiration of 12 months from the date of their landing in England. It has therefore been resolved to rescind this restrictive rule, so far as it effects the cases of Officers who, after 20 years Indian Service counting for retiring pension, may return to this Country on leave, and to allow such Officers to claim for retirement the benefit of any rank they may attain, prior to the expiration of their 22 years Service.

MILITARY OFFICERS IN CIVIL EMPLOY ON FIRST OCCASION OF TAKING LEAVE TO ELECT EITHER THE OLD OR THE NEW RULES.

G. O. G. No. 234, 18th May 1860.—The following letter from the Government of India, dated 23rd April 1860, No. 952, and the enclosure therein referred to, are published for general information.

I am directed to transmit to you, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, the annexed copy of a letter from the Adjutant General of the Army, No. 298 A, dated 6th instant, drawing attention to Military Officers in Civil employ occasionally obtaining leave of absence from

the Civil authorities, without declaring the Regulations under which the leave is taken, and stating that the Commander-in-Chief is of opinion that all Officers in Civil, or Military employ, should be put on the same footing in respect to leave, whether in or out of India.

From Lieutenant-Colonel W. MAYHEW, Adjutant General of the Army, to the Officiating Secretary to Government of India, Military Department,—(No. 298 A, dated Camp Kurreellee, the 6th April 1860.)

Sir,—I am directed by the Commander-in-Chief to request you will be good enough to draw the attention of the Government to the fact that Military Officers, in Civil employ, occasionally obtain leave of absence from the Civil authorities, without declaring the Regulations under which the leave is taken, whereas those in Military employ are without exception obliged, on the first occasion of taking leave, to elect either the old or the new Rules.

2 The Commander-in-Chief is of opinion that all Officers in Civil or Military employ should be put on the same footing in respect to leave, whether in or out of India.

CERTIFICATE OF PRISONER'S HEALTH TO BE INVARIABLY TRANSMITTED WITH CHARGES AGAINST A NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER OR SOLDIER.

G. O. C. C. No. 68, 21st May 1860.—The Commander-in-Chief directs that when Officers Commanding Regiments have occasion to forward to superior authority charges against a Non-Commissioned Officer or Soldier (European or Native) they will invariably transmit with such charges a Certificate (in the subjoined Form) of the Prisoner's Health, when the application for trial is made.

I certify that——— Regiment, is in a good state of Health and fit to undergo Corporal Punishment or Imprisonment, Solitary or otherwise and with or without hard labor (or as the case may be.)

Station and }
date }

Signature of the
Medical Officer.

It is clearly to be understood that such Certificate does not supersede the necessity of furnishing a Court Martial with the prescribed Health Certificate on the date on which sentence is passed.

RULES ENTITLING SOLDIERS TO THE PENSION OF QUARTER MASTER SERJEANT AND OF SERJEANT MAJOR.

G. O. G. No. 249, 25th May 1860.—The following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, is republished for the information of the Army.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 15th May 1860,

No. 505 of 1860.—The following Rules laid down by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, are published for information :—

1. To entitle the Soldier to pension as Quarter-Master Serjeant (2 Shillings 3 pence a day) he must hold the rank at the time of discharge or transfer to Pension List. He must have completed twenty-one years' service, and have served during the last (5) years in the rank.

2 To entitle the Soldier to pension as Serjeant-Major (2 Shillings 6 pence a day) he must hold the rank at the time of discharge or transfer to Pension List. He must have completed twenty-one years' service, and must have served during the last five years in the rank either of Quarter-Master Serjeant or Sergeant Major.

3 Men who may have been reduced from those grades, or who may voluntarily relinquish them for the purpose of accepting other appointments, forfeit by such reduction or relinquishment the Pensions allowed for those grades.

A. O. N^o. 6, 10th May 1860.—I. The Commandant of Artillery, with the sanction of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, is pleased to lay down the following as the course of drill and exercise to be taught to Officers and men at the Recruit Dépôt.

2. Men will be drafted to the Horse Artillery, Horse Field Batteries, and Reserve Companies, according to the branch they seem to be best adapted for, but the system of drill will be the same for all.

I. Foot drills as for Cavalry.

II. Sword exercise, Cavalry only.

III. Carbine exercise with Artillery Carbines.

IV. Guard and Sentry drill.

V. Gun drills with all calibres, Light, Heavy, Howitzers, and Mortars;—mounting and dismounting Light Field guns.

VI. Riding drills, in schools and on the plain.

VII. Driving. (*For Officers*, sufficient to enable them to manage a pair of Horses, and instruct and correct errors in the men.)

3. When an Officer is reported fit to be dismissed from the above, he will be examined; and, if found fit, will receive a certificate—"Examined in all drills, Qualified—Dismissed (*date*)."

4. Should an Officer leave the Recruit Dépôt before being dismissed, a certificate showing the extent of his attainments in each drill, will be forwarded to the Officer Commanding the Artillery at the station he is ordered to, by the Officer Commanding Recruit Dépôt. His instruction in drill will be there proceeded with, and, when completed, the certificate will be signed by the senior Officer, ("Course of drill completed—Dismissed *date*,") and forwarded to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery for submission to the

Commandant, and eventual deposit in the office of the Recruit Depôt;—should an Officer return to the Mount before his course of drill is completed, it will be finished at the Recruit Depôt, where all certificates of dismissal are to be kept. Should an Officer evince particular smartness or aptitude for any drill, the same may properly be recorded in his certificate thus,—“ Good Swordsman”—“ Bold rider” &c.

5. It is the duty of the Officer Commanding Recruit Depôt to provide all young Officers with the Books of Instruction prescribed by Regulations, and to examine them in them from time to time.

6. No Officer is to be placed in charge of a Company who has not passed a satisfactory examination on the following subjects.

I. Mutiny Act and Articles of War for Europeans and Natives.

II. Forms of Proceedings of Courts Martial and Law of evidence.

III. Warrant relating to Good Conduct Pay and Pensions;—the Regulations regarding Pay, Clothing, and Regimental necessaries to be supplied to the men.

IV. Method of conducting official correspondence;—reports required by an Officer if marching, singly or with men.

V. Method of keeping Company Books, Canteen Accounts, and in fact interior economy of a Company.

7. The Officer Commanding the Recruit Depôt will instruct young Officers in each and all of the above, so that, when they leave the Mount, they may be perfectly qualified to join any portion of the Corps they may be posted to.

8. The following course of instruction will also be carried on, under the Director Artillery Depôt, at the Depôt of Instruction.

I. Making Portfires, Rockets, Fireballs, Carcasses, Quickmatch;—mixing Composition.

II. Driving and setting Fuzes;—making cartridges of all sorts;—examining shells.

III. Studying the use of all instruments belonging to Guns and Mortars, and applying them.

IV. The use of the Gyn,—mounting and dismounting Ordnance of all calibres, and in various situations;—use of the transport carriage, shifting trunnions &c.

V. Getting Guns out of difficulties.

VI. Plan drawing to the extent of putting on paper the plan, section, and elevation of Carriages and Ordnance, to show fractures that may occur at exercise or on service.

VII. To judge of distances by the eye, and compute charges and Fuzes both by theory and practice.

9. No Officer to leave the Mount until he has completed, and has passed, a satisfactory examination in the above. He will then receive a certificate of qualifications and dismissal from the Dépôt.

10. Should an Officer be ordered away before he is regularly dismissed, the Director Artillery Dépôt will forward to the Commandant a certificate shewing the extent of his attainments;—this will be forwarded to the Officer Commanding at the station he is going to, who will, as far as practicable, *and before the next Annual Practice*, complete the course of instruction; and, filling in the certificate, forward it to the Director Artillery Depot, for submission to the Commandant and eventual deposit in the Dépôt records.

11. Especial attention must be paid to Laboratory duties, as Officers should be able to perform all of them themselves, as well as explain how they are performed.

Colonel Amsinck requests the co-operation of all Commanding Officers in carrying out the above order.

A. O. 30th May 1860.—I. New forms of Proceedings of Courts Martial having been recently established by order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, the A. O. No. 14 dated 28th December 1859, establishing a form on application for Court Martial for use in the Regiment, is cancelled.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
8th May	Lieut. B. L. Gordon,	Europe	Madras.
8th "	" J. W. Watkins,	"	"
— "	Captain F. G. Nuthall,	Bangalore	"
24th "	" W. S. Mann,	Europe	"
" "	Lieutenant G. Haggard,	Thayetmayo	"

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
— May	Captain F. G. Nuthall,	Madras	Waltair.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
5th May	Lieutenant W. F. Grey,—Appointed to act as Aid-de-Camp to Major General the Hon'ble A. A. Spencer, C. B. Commanding the Mysore Division, without prejudice to his Regimental duties.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
14th May	2d Capt. G. Carleton,	E. Troop	F. Troop.
"	(Bt. Major) L. Bridge,	E. "	C. "
	Lieutenant B. L. Gordon,	E. "	F. "
"	J. C. Taylor,	E. "	B. "

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
1st May	Captain E. H. Couchman,	Bangalore, <i>privilege leave</i> , from 3d May 1860, for 25 days.
	Asst. Adj. Genl. Artillery.	
4th "	Lieutenant R. T. Hamond,—	Madras, from date of expiration of <i>privilege leave</i> till 2d May 1860.
10th "	2d Capt. (Major) G. G. Pearse,	Calcutta, from 2d August 1858, preparatory to applying for leave to Sea, on medical certificate.
	Commandant 3d Sikh I. C.	
15th "	Captain (Bt. Major) H. H. Bell,—	Madras, in continuation of <i>privilege leave</i> till 30th June 1860.
	Captain E. H. Couchman,	In continuation for 35 days— <i>privilege leave</i> .
	Asst. Adj. Genl. of Arty.	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
1st May	Lieutenant F. S. Budd,—	For 12 months, under the regulations of 1854, and to embark from Madras.
4th	„ Major G. M. Gumm,—	Leave extended for 6 months.
	Lieutenant B. L. Gordon,—	Leave extended for one month without pay.
25th	„ Captain C. H. Hutchinson, } Lieutenant J. Stewart, }	Leave extended for six months.
	Lieutenant A. P. Bainbridge,—	Having produced a medical certificate of his unfitness to return to his duty at the expiration of the 2 months privilege leave allowed to him, has been granted an additional extension of leave for 6 months.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE

1860.

- 25th May Lieut. G. C. M. Martin,—Jaulnah—Creditable progress.
- „ W. H. Caine,—Bellary—Qualified as Adjutant under para 8, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853, No. 46.
- „ J. G. Pollock—Passed the examination prescribed for Officers of *Companies*.

The Moonshee Allowance to be disbursed to Lieutenant Martin.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

11th May 1860.

21st April 1860.—By the Officer Commanding 5th Battalion Madras Artillery, appointing Lieutenant W. D. Kerich, to act as Adjutant of the Battalion from the 21st April 1860, without prejudice to his appointment as Acting Quarter Master of the Battalion in room of Lieutenant F. C. Trevor, appointed to do duty with the Horse Brigade and during the absence of Lieutenant W. D. Forster, on medical certificate to Europe, or until further orders.

15th May 1860.

21st March 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Jaulnah, authorizing at the request of the Officer Commanding B.

Troop Horse Brigade Madras Artillery, the issue of the full feed of Chenna to the Horses of that Troop from the 21st March 1860.

18th May 1860.

2nd May 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Mysore Division, appointing Lieutenant Grey H. A., to act as Aid-de-Camp to Major General the Hon'ble A. Spencer, C. B., from the 2nd May 1860, vice Lieutenant Thomson, proceeded to take up his appointment at Madras.

21st May 1860.

18th April 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Ceded Districts, authorizing the Officer Commanding D. Troop Madras Horse Artillery to continue the issue of full feed of Gram to the Horses of his Troop from the 26th March (the date of arrival) until further orders, in consequence of the Forage being scarce and having 50 Recruits at drill.

PERIOD OF SERVICE TO ENTITLE SOLDIERS TO THE FIRST GRANT OF GOOD CONDUCT PAY TO BE THREE, INSTEAD OF FIVE YEARS.

G. O. G. No. 259, 1st June 1860.—The following General Orders by the Honorable the President of the Council of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, are republished for the information of the Army :—

GENERAL ORDERS BY THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT OF
THE COUNCIL OF THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 18th May 1860.

No. 523 of 1860.—Her Majesty's Government have resolved that the following Royal Warrant shall be made applicable to the Soldiers of the Indian Army :—

No. 558.

VICTORIA R.

WHEREAS we have judged it expedient to revise those parts of our Royal Warrant dated 1st July 1848, which pre-

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{21}{\text{General No.}} \\ \frac{11}{\text{}} \end{array} \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{scribe the periods of service to entitle the well} \\ \text{conducted Soldier to obtain the different rates of} \\ \text{Good Conduct Pay under the said Warrant, Our} \end{array} \right\}$$
 Will and Pleasure is that, from the date of this our Royal Warrant, the period of service to entitle such Soldier to the first grant of Good Conduct Pay shall be three years, instead of five years, and that the successive additions shall be as heretofore, after every further period of service of five years, subject, however, to the conditions prescribed by our Royal Warrant of 1st July 1848.

Given at our Court at St. James's this first day of March 1860, in the 23rd year of our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command.

(Signed) S. HERBERT.

DONATION BATTÀ AND OTHER GRATUITY AWARDED FOR SERVICE IN THE FIELD, TO BE ISSUED ACCORDING TO THE RANK IN WHICH OFFICERS EVENTUALLY DRAW PAY.

No. 525 of 1860.—The Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to notify, with the concurrence of His Excellency the Governor General, that Donation Battà and any other Gratuity awarded for service in the Field shall, after this date, be issued according to the rank in which the Officer may eventually draw Pay, though such Rank be assigned retrospectively.

This Order is applicable to the three Presidencies, but will not have retrospective effect.

RATES OF TABLE MONEY TO BE CHARGED ON GOVERNMENT SEA GOING VESSELS.

G. O. G. No. 276, 15th June 1860.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the rules sanctioned by the Government of India, in the subjoined Extract from their Proceedings, establishing the rates of table money to be charged on board Government Sea going vessels employed under the Bengal Presidency, be adopted

for this Presidency in supersession of former orders* on the subject.

Home Department, (Marine) dated 14th May 1860, No. 1026.

The President in Council is pleased, in supersession of the Orders dated the 14th of March 1856,* to direct that the rates of table-money which were allowed to a Commander or other Officer charged with the purveyance of a vessel, previously to the issue of those orders, shall be reverted to on board Government sea-going vessels, employed under the Bengal Presidency.

The following are the rules as they will stand under the above modification :

For every male adult, cabin or quarter-deck passenger.....	8 Rupees per diem.
For every female adult passenger.....	6 do.
For every child above seven and under 16 years of age, who does not come to the table.....	4 do.
For every child under seven years of age, and for every Christian Servant.....	2 do.
No charge is to be made for children under two years.	

The above named charges shall include Wine, Beer, and Spirits.

For European Commissioned Officers of whatever rank, and for Uncovenanted Civil Officers (not being of the rank of Clerks), when ordered a free passage on duty, the sum of eight (8) Rupees each, per diem, will be allowed by Government to the Commander of the vessel, or to the Officer of the vessel, by whom they may be messed, but the whole expense of messing the families of such Officers will be borne by the Officers themselves.

Of the eight (8) Rupees allowed by Government, the followed proportions will be recovered from the Officers through the Pay Department on account of Government.

From General Officers.....		5 Rupees.
From Field Officers.....	} On salaries not exceeding 600 Rupees a month }	
From Military and Medical Officers in Civil employ.....		
From Uncovenanted Officers (not being of the rank of Clerks.).....		4 do.
From Captains.....		3 do.
From Subalterns.....		2 do.

* Madras G. O. G. 24th June 1856, No. 201.

The whole of the table-money charge for Military, Medical, or Uncovenanted Officers in Civil employ, on salaries exceeding Rupees 600 a month, will be recovered from those Officers on account of Government.

For persons messed at the Warrant Officers' or Engineers' Table, the following rates are allowed :—

For adults, 3 Rupees per diem.

For children above 7 but under 16 years, each, Rupees 2 per diem.

For children under 7 years old, 1 Rupee per diem.

No charge is to be made for a child under two years.

The above charge for Warrant Officers of every grade, Overseers, European Non-Commissioned Officers attached to Departments or Public Offices, and Clerks of Departments or Public Offices, and for the families of any of these classes, will be paid by Government,

REGULATIONS REGARDING REGIMENTAL SAVINGS' BANKS.

G. O. G. No. 287, 26th June 1860.—Notice is hereby given, that under instructions from the Government of India, the Military branch of the Government Savings' Bank at Madras has been abolished from the 1st May 1860, and that in accordance with the Royal Warrant and Regulations regarding Regimental Savings' Banks, Regimental Savings' Banks shall be established in lieu thereof in the Regiments of the British and Indian Armies serving under the Madras Presidency, the accounts of which will be audited annually and adjusted by the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank.

REGIMENTAL SAVINGS' BANK.

1. To afford to the Soldiers of the Army facilities for depositing their Savings, there shall be established in every Regiment and Depôt of Regular European Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry, a Regimental Savings' Bank, for the safe custody and increase of such savings, and the following Regulations shall be observed and obeyed wherever the Troops may be serving.

2. Officers Commanding Troops and Companies shall receive as Public money, to be applied to the payment of those public services which it is their duty to defray, such sums as the Soldiers under their command may from time to time desire, and be entitled to deposit in the Savings' Bank of the Regiment.

3. The maximum of each Soldier's deposit shall be limited to Rupees 300 in any one year, and to Rupees 3,000 in the whole.

4. The rate of interest upon deposits shall be Rupees 8-12-0 per cent, per annum, but no interest shall be allowed upon a less sum than Rupees 2-8-0, nor upon any sums other than multiples of Rupees 2-8-0, or which have not remained in deposit for at least one month, to be reckoned from the last monthly muster day; and interest shall only be allowed upon sums withdrawn up to the muster day preceding the day the deposit is withdrawn, unless such day shall be the muster day. Interest on all sums in deposit shall be added to the principal quarterly, and shall thenceforward bear interest.

5. When a Soldier shall be desirous of withdrawing the whole or any part of his deposit, he shall give at least seven days' notice to the Captain or Officer Commanding the Troop or Company to which he belongs, in order that the necessary arrangements may be made for repayment of the amount at the next day of monthly muster: but if such Captain or Officer Commanding shall be satisfied of the urgency of the case, and that the immediate withdrawal of the deposit would be for the advantage of the Soldier, he may direct payment to be forthwith made. Whenever the Officer Commanding the Troop or Company shall have grounds for believing that the Soldier intends to make an improper use of his money, he will be permitted to withhold the privilege of withdrawing the deposit until the Commanding Officer of the Regiment shall determine whether it

should then be issued or not, and should the Officer Commanding deem it essential to the discipline of the Regiment to withhold from a Soldier the privilege of withdrawing his deposits, he shall report specially to the Commander-in-Chief and to the Secretary at War, the circumstances under which he has felt himself compelled to exercise this power.

6. All moneys deposited by the Soldier in the Regimental Savings' Bank shall be held strictly in trust for his own use and benefit, and shall on no account be transferable to any third party, either by endorsement, conveyance, or otherwise, and shall not be affected by any debts contracted by him, nor be made available for any purpose whatever, except under his own order signified to the Officer Commanding his Troop or Company; and such moneys shall, if possible, be paid to the Soldier personally; and in all cases his receipt shall be obtained and shall be attached to the Troop or Company Savings' Bank Ledger.

7. Upon the discharge of a Soldier, his deposits may remain at interest in the Regimental Savings' Bank, for a period not exceeding six months, after which time interest shall cease; but if required by the Soldier the principal may be retained without interest for longer period for security.

8. At the death of a soldier, interest on his deposits shall cease from the muster day next after his death, and the amount of his deposits with the interest accumulated thereon, shall be added to his other effects, and be reported to the Secretary at War to be disposed of in the usual manner to the legal representative of the deceased, as prescribed in the Articles of War.

9 A Soldier convicted by a Court Martial of desertion, or recorded by a Board of Officers in the usual manner as a deserter, shall forfeit to the Public all moneys he may have in the Regimental Savings' Bank; and such forfeiture shall only be remitted by the Secretary at War.

10. To prevent parties not in Military employ from availing themselves of the advantages afforded by these Banks, no Soldier is, on any pretence whatever, to deposit in his own name the money of another person, whether a Soldier or not, and in case any Soldier shall so deposit the money of another person, in addition to any punishment which a Court Martial may award for the fraud thus committed, all sums so deposited shall be forfeited to the Public, and one-half of the amount not exceeding Rupees 50, shall be allowed to the informer.

11. In the Orderly Room of every Regiment or Depôt of Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry, there shall be kept under lock and key, under the inspection of the Commanding Officer, the Officer Second in Command, and the Adjutant, a Regimental Savings' Bank Ledger, in which shall be entered the Savings' Bank account of every Soldier.

12. The entries shall be made in the Regimental ledger by Troops or Companies, so that the amount of each Troop or Company shall be kept separate; and upon the transfer of a Soldier from one Troop or Company to another, a transfer of his account shall be made in the Regimental Savings' Bank ledger.

13. A Non-Commissioned Officer shall be selected by the Officer Commanding to act as Clerk to the Regimental Savings' Bank, and such Clerk shall make all the entries in the Regimental Savings' Bank ledger, and shall receive an allowance according to the following scale:—

	Per month,
If the Depositors are under 100.....Rupees	8 0 0
If 100 and under 150..... „	10 0 0
If 150 and under 200..... „	15 0 0
If 200 and upwards..... „	20 0 0

14. Each Captain, or Officer Commanding a Troop or Company, shall keep a Savings' Bank ledger for the accounts

of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of his Troop or Company.

15. Deposits of savings (not under Eight Annas) can only be made and entered in the Troop or Company ledgers and in the Regimental ledger once in each month, viz., on the day of monthly settlement, when all sums withdrawn will be also entered. The Captain or Officer Commanding the Troop or Company will, by his signature in the Troop or Company ledger, acknowledge the receipt of all deposits made, and the Soldier will, in like manner, acknowledge the receipt of all sums withdrawn.

16. At the end of every quarter, the Troop or Company

NOTE.—In addition to the Annual Certificate transmitted under existing Rules by Royal Regiments in India, to the Secretary at War.

Ledgers are to be compared with the Regimental ledger by the Officer Commanding,

the Officer Second in Command and the Adjutant; and the Officer Commanding will transmit to the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank, each quarter, a certificate in the form prescribed, that this comparison has been made. Should a Troop or Company be absent from Head Quarters, the comparison of the ledger of that Troop or Company with the Regimental ledger, may be deferred until its return to Head Quarters; but such delay must be reported upon the Quarterly certificate, and a certificate duly signed that the comparison has been made must be transmitted to the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank, upon the return of the said Troop or Company to Head Quarters.

17. The Regimental Savings' Bank ledger (certified by the Commanding Officer, Second in Command, and the Adjutant, to have been compared with the several Troop or Company ledgers) and the monthly statements of each Troop or Company are to be transmitted to the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank at the end of each year; so soon

as the Balances of each Depositor shall have been carried forward into the Regimental ledger of the succeeding year.

18. The Secretary to the Government Savings Bank after auditing the Savings' Bank ledger, and satisfying himself that the money has been duly brought to account by the Paymaster, will furnish the Officer Commanding the Regiment with a declaration that the account of Regimental Savings' Bank to that date has been audited and found correct. The declaration of the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank, will be preserved in the Orderly Room, and the Commanding Officer will notify to the Officers Commanding Troops or Companies that the account of the Regimental Savings' Bank has been audited to that date and admitted to be correct.

19. During active operations in the Field, or whenever circumstances may render it impracticable to attend to the details of the Savings' Banks, the General Officer in Command may direct the temporary suspension of this Regulation; but all sums then actually in deposit under the provision of it, shall bear interest in the same manner as if it had not been suspended.

EXPLANATORY DIRECTIONS (MADRAS) REGIMENTAL SAVINGS' BANK.

1. The Captain of each Troop or Company is responsible that the deposits he receives, and the withdrawals he pays, are duly entered in each man's account in the ledger of his Troop or Company, and that statements of his receipts and payments in the Form No. 2, are sent monthly to the Orderly Room; also that the amount of deposits and withdrawals are duly debited against him and credited to him by the Paymaster in the Company's Monthly Abstract of Account.

2. The Officer in Command, the Officer Second in Command, and the Adjutant are responsible for the correctness

of the Regimental Savings' Bank ledger, which is to be prepared in the Orderly Room by the Savings' Bank Clerk under their direction from the Statements No. 2, transmitted by the Captains. They are to transmit monthly to the Paymaster in the Form No. 3, the account of the deposits received and the withdrawals paid by each Captain.

3. The responsibility of the Paymaster with respect to the Savings Bank is limited to the following points:—He is to debit and credit the respective Captains with such sums as are shown by the accounts (Form No. 3) transmitted to him from the Orderly Room, to have been deposited and withdrawn; he is to forward to the Paymaster of the Division for countersignature and transmission to the Secretary to the Government Savings Bank the Form No. 3, and to see that he is correctly debited and credited with the accounts of deposits and withdrawals as shown in Form 3; he is to note for special credit the deposits forfeited by Deserters in the place provided for this purpose in Form 3; he is to take care that the balances of deposits reported to be due to deceased men are duly carried to their Non-Effective accounts; he is to annex to the Non-Effective accounts of all Deserters and Deceased men the prescribed certificates stating whether they had any moneys in the Regimental Savings' Bank.

4. If a Soldier deposit more than Rupees 300 in any one year, interest can only be allowed upon Rupees 300 until after the next 30th April, from which date interest may be allowed upon any further sum not exceeding Rupees 300 for that year. Interest is not allowed upon any deposit for the month in which it is made, if it be made after the day of monthly settlement. The whole amount to be deposited by a Soldier must not exceed Rupees 3,000.

5. If a Soldier be permanently transferred from one Troop or Company to another, or to another Regiment serving in Madras, the Captain is not to consider the amount of the Soldier's account as money withdrawn from the Savings'

Bank, but is to transmit the certificate (Form A) to the Captain to whom the Soldier is transferred, and will close the Account of such Soldier in his own Troop or Company ledger in the manner prescribed in Form B. The certificate A. will be the authority to the Captain receiving the transferred man to open in his own Troop or Company ledger an Account (but not as a new deposit in the Savings' Bank) in the manner prescribed in Form C. The certificate A. is to be annexed to the Regimental Savings' Bank Ledger.

6. The Captain making the transfer, and the Captain receiving such transfer, will each bring forward into his Annual Abstract the account of the Soldier, as it is shown by his own transactions with the man, in the Troop or Company ledger of each Captain, in the manner prescribed in the Form E.

7. Regimental Paymasters, on receiving intimation, of the intended embarkation to England of Invalid or other Soldiers, shall, within fifteen days of the Soldiers' embarkation, forward to the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank at the Presidency concerned, a correct Statement of their Savings' Bank balances in quadruplicate.

8. The Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank will fill up the Certificate in the Form, and furnish the Brigade Major with a Copy of the Statements to be forwarded to the War Department by the next Mail *viâ* Marseilles, and two copies will be sent to the Accountant General for transmission to the Secretary of State for India, through Government. The Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank will also supply the Regimental Paymaster with a copy of his Certificate.

9. This rule is applicable as well to Regiments returning Home as to individual Soldiers.

10. When a Soldier has been convicted of desertion or recorded by a Board of Officers as a Deserter, the amount of his deposits is to be withdrawn by the Captain from the

Regimental Savings' Bank and placed in the hands of the Paymaster, to be by him noted for special credit to the public in Form 3.

11. Upon the death of a Soldier the Captain is to make up his Accounts to the next day of monthly muster, and is to withdraw the amount from the Regimental Savings' Bank, and credit it to Non-effective Account of the Soldier with his other effects.

12. The monthly allowance to the Savings' Bank Clerk is to be vouched by a certificate of the number of accounts open in the Regimental Savings' Bank ledger.

13. When a Regiment is transferred to the Madras Establishment, a new Regimental Savings' Bank ledger must be opened, as well as a new ledgers for each Troop or Company.

14. The account of each depositor is to be opened with the amount in Indian currency, and a Bill drawn by the Officer Commanding on the Paymaster General furnished to the Accountant General, Madras, for the aggregate of the opening balances which must correspond with the amount advised by the War Department as due to the depositors of the Regiment.

15. Deposits made from Pay issued in sterling money subsequent to the closing of the Savings' Bank accounts rendered to the War Office, must be credited in the Indian currency, the conversion being effected at the rate of 2s. $\frac{1}{2}$ d. the Rupee,

16. When a Regiment is removed from the Indian Establishment, the Regimental Savings' Bank ledger must be closed to the end of the month in which the Head Quarters of the Regiment is to embark, and transmitted to the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank for special audit; the Secretary to the Savings' Bank will furnish the Officer Commanding with a certificate of the amount due to the deposi-

tors of the Regiment. This certificate must accompany the Regimental Savings' Bank ledger, to be furnished to the War Office as a Voucher.

17. All Forins will be supplied, on application to the Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank, to whom all communications on the subject of Regimental Savings' Bank are to be addressed.

The foregoing Rules are to be considered applicable to European Regiments of the Indian Army as far as may be practicable, the Divisional Paymaster occupying the position of the Regimental Paymaster in Her Majesty's British Regiments.

The remittance of Savings' Bank balances of Invalids and Time-expired men will continue to be made as at present.

A. O. 1st June 1860.—1. The following is published for general information and guidance throughout the Regiment.

No. 3562.

To,

*The Officer Commanding
4th Battalion Artillery.*

SIR,

I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to inform you, in reply to your letter No. 126 dated 28th ultimo, that as the men of the Battalion under your command received Wicker Helmets in 1859, they can have no claim to compensation for the old pattern Cap and Plume for that year. The Government furnished the men gratuitously with a Head Dress which is in substitution of that of the former pattern, by which the Soldier's claim on this score is adjusted.

I have &c.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
30th May 1860.

(Signed) C. COOKE, Major,
Depy. Adj. Genl. of the Army.

A. O. No. 7, 19th June 1860.—I. As efficiency in horsemanship has now become a necessary qualification for an Officer in command of a Battery, all Captains who have not already served in the Horse Brigade and been dismissed the Riding Schools of that Corps, will be required to go through a course of Equitation and drills under the Riding Master either of the Horse Brigade or of the Recruit Depôt, as may be most convenient, before they proceed to join the Batteries which they may be appointed to command.

II. *A. O. No. 7 dated 13th May 1858*, directing that the Sword Exercise for men of Light Field Batteries be that prescribed for Infantry, is cancelled with reference to *A. O. No. 6 dated 10th May 1860*.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>At</i>
5th June	Captain B. C. Hitchins,	Europe	Madras.
„ „	Gent. Cadet Mr. P. Sanderson	„	„
„ „	Lieut. J. W. Macdougall,	Rangoon	„
7th „	„ J. F. Pierson,	Europe	„
— „	„ J. H. Gleig,	Ootacamund	„

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>To.</i>
1st June	Senior Lieut. G. C. M. Martin,—	To be 2d Captain, vice Bishop deceased; date of Commission 30th April 1860.
8th „	Gent. Cadet Mr. P. Sanderson,—	Admitted upon the Establishment and promoted to the rank of Lieutenant.
19th „	Major General P. Montgomerie, C. B.—	To be Lieutenant General from 21st December 1859.
22nd „	Senior 2d Capt. J. De C. Sinclair—	To be Captain.
	Senior Lieut. E. S. Milman,—	To be 2d Captain.

vice Bell retired; date of Commissions 22d June 1860.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
	Lieutenant G. H. Trevor,—	Entitled to the Pay and Allowances of Lieutenant from the 22d June 1860, in succession to Milman promoted.
29th	„ Lieut. Colonel E. Brice—	To be a Lieut. Colonel in the Army, from 20th July 1858.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To.</i>
11th June	Captain A. Stewart,	B. Com. 4th Bn.	A. Com. 1st Bn.
	„ B. C. Hitchins A. „	1st „	B. „ 4th to join.
18th	„ 2d Captain G. C. M. Martin, late promotion		B. Troop H. B.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
26th June	2d Captain J De C. Sinclair,—	Leave extended for six months.

EXAMINED IN THE BURMESE LANGUAGE.

1860.	
13th June	Lieutenant C. E. Watson.—With reference to G. O. C. C. 29th February last, to be considered as having passed the Examination prescribed by Government for Staff employ in Burmah.

The Moonshee allowance to be disbursed to the above Officer.

SERVICES.

1860.		
1st June	Lieut. B. L. Gordon, 12 months.	{ Permitted to count as Service the period of leave specified against their names.
13th	„ Capt. (Bt. Lt. Col.) G. S. Cotter, 18 months.	
	2d Captain G. G. Pearse, 15 months.	

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

4th June 1860.

24th April 1860.—By the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery, appointing Lieut. W. H. Caine, doing duty D. Troop

Horse Brigade at the recommendation of the Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Ceded Districts, to act as Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Division of Artillery, serving in the Ceded Districts, from the 26th March 1860 (the date of arrival at Bellary of the D. Troop Horse Brigade.)

12th June 1860.

10th February 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Detachment Madras Artillery en route to Kamptee, appointing 2nd Captain M. C. Lawson, A. Troop Horse Brigade Madras Artillery, Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Detachment marching to Kamptee without prejudice to his other duties.

DEATH.

In Europe, on the 29th April 1860, 2nd Captain H. G. Bishop, Artillery.

Captain H. G. Bishop was a Cadet of 1842 and arrived in India 16th June 1843.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 9th December 1842; as 1st Lieutenant 15th May 1847; as Captain in the Army 9th December 1857 and as 2nd Captain in the Regiment 27th August 1858.

Was employed in the operations in the Southern Mahratta Country from 2nd October 1844 to 4th February 1845 and with the Field Force against Gulburgah from 16th October to 1st November 1848.—Was present at the surrender of Bathaghur 10th November 1844; at the Siege and Storm of Panalla Ghur and Powanghur on 1st December 1844 and at the taking of Munohur and Munsontosh Ghur on 26th January 1845:—his Services on these occasions were noticed in Artillery Orders No. 820 of 20th December 1844, No. 829, 7th February 1845 and No. 831 14th February 1845.

Passed a College examination as Interpreter in Hindoostanee at Bombay G. O. G. 19th May 1846 and G. O. C. C. 2d September 1846.

Was Acting Deputy Commissary of Ordnance Bellary from 15th October 1847 to 12th January 1848.—Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 1st Battalion Artillery from 5th December 1849 to 19th December 1849.—Acting Adjutant and Quarter Master 4th Battalion and Staff Officer Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from 14th June to 17th July 1854.—Quarter Master and Interpreter 5th Battalion from 26th June 1856 to 15th September 1858.—Acting Interpreter to Royal Artillery Mount from 7th December 1857 to 15th September 1858.—Acting Adjutant 5th Battalion Artillery from 12th June 1858.

Returned to Europe on Sick Certificate 15th September 1858, where he died on the 29th April 1860, being then the 5th, 2nd Captain.

RETIREMENT.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 266, dated 8th June 1860,
 “ Captain (Brevet Major) H. H. Bell, of the Artillery, is
 “ permitted to retire from the Service on the pension of a
 “ Colonel, from the 22nd June 1860.”

Major H. H. Bell was a Cadet of 1827 and arrived in India 22nd June 1828.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 13th December 1827: as 1st Lieutenant 29th July 1833; as Captain in the Army 13th December 1842; as Captain in the Regiment 14th December 1847 and as Major in the Army 20th June 1854.

Was in charge of Engineers' Department, Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from 23rd April to June 1836. Commanded D. Company 2nd Battalion Artillery from 1st May to 19th August 1850.

Was Commissary of Ordnance Nagpore Subsidiary Force from 27th June 1851 to 3rd November 1857.

Was 5th Captain on the date of his Retirement viz. 21st June 1860.

FORM OF DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE FOR THE EUROPEAN
SOLDIERS OF HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN FORCES.

G. O. G. No. 327, 17th July 1860.—The Governor in Council directs that the following Form of Discharge Certificate for the European Soldiers of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, approved by the Government of India, be adopted hereafter at this Presidency.

DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE.

CERTIFIED that the bearer hereof
of
years and month of age, feet inches high, Hair,
Complexion, Eyes, by trade a
a Native of in the County of
and Kingdom of Enlisted at on the
day of One thousand eight hundred and
for years
Character

Is discharged from Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces
and having first received
a full, just and true account of all his Pay, Arrears of Pay,
Clothing and all other Demands, as appears by his acknow-
ledgment on the other side.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief,

Registered No.

*Adjutant General's Office, Adjutant General of the Army,
Fort St. George,
One thousand eight hundred and*

I acknowledge to have received a full and true account of
my Pay, Arrears of Pay, Clothing and all other Demands
from the
time of my first enlisting into the Service to this present date.
Witness my hand, this day of
One thousand eight hundred and
In the presence of

RECEIPTS FOR UNCLAIMED MONEY, PAID BY COMMANDING OFFICERS TO BE FORWARDED DIRECT TO THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

G. O. C. C. No. 84, 17th July 1860.—The Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified, that all receipts for unclaimed money which may be paid by Commanding Officers &c., into a Treasury on account of Government, should be forwarded direct to the Accountant General.

ISSUE OF KIT MONEY TO EUROPEAN SOLDIERS.

G. O. G. No. 341, 27th July 1860.—1. With reference to *G. O. G. No. 364*, dated 20th September 1859, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following decision by the Government of India, on the subject of the issue of Kit money to European Soldiers.

First. That every man, on enlisting or re-enlisting in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, is to be provided with a free Kit, in addition to the Bounty (Rs. 50) allowed by the Regulations.

Second. That a man who has taken his discharge, whether he may become entitled to reckon his previous service, by enlisting within the prescribed period of six months, or not, is equally entitled to a free Kit, in addition to the regulated Bounty (Rs. 50) on re-enlisting.

Third. That, in addition to the English rate of Kit money, Rupees Twenty is allowed to each man enlisting or re-engaging, to provide the extra articles required in India.

2. Should a man, on re-engaging, not require a fresh Kit, he is to be paid the value thereof in money.

3. Revised Bills in accordance with the above, should be submitted by Officers Commanding Corps and Departments.

MODIFICATION OF THE REGULATIONS ON THE SUBJECT OF OFFICERS PROCEEDING ON LEAVE ON MEDICAL CERTIFICATE FURNISHING NO DEMAND CERTIFICATE.

G. O. G. No. 345, 27th July 1860.—The following

General Order by His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, is republished.

GENERAL ORDER BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 17th July 1860.

No. 755 of 1860,—The following Rules will have effect in modification of the existing regulations on the subject :—

Officers proceeding on leave, on Medical Certificate, shall not be required to furnish No Demand Certificates or Security.

When an Officer in charge of cash or stores applies for leave on Medical Certificate, he shall be required to furnish a Certificate from the Officer taking charge of his duties, that as far as can be ascertained, after careful examination, nothing irregular nor any known demands against him remain unadjusted in his Office.

Officers applying for leave beyond Sea, on private affairs, shall be required, as at present, to furnish No Demand Certificates.

Officers on leave, on Medical Certificate, intending to retire from the Service are to give the earliest intimation thereof to the Accountant General through the Pay Master, so that the requisite No Demand Certificate may be prepared, as no retirement is permitted without such Certificate is furnished.

A. O. 5th July 1860.—1. The following is published for general information and guidance.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Read the following letter.

*From the Adjutant General of the Army Fort Saint George,
30th May 1860 No. 502; to the Secretary to Government,
Military Department.*

A Havildar supernumerary to the Establishment having

applied for discharge with gratuity, under the provisions of the Circular issued from this Department consequent on the order of Government of the 4th instant No. 1669, I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to request the decision of the Honorable the Governor in Council, whether the man is to receive gratuity as a Havildar, or as a Private.

Sanctioning the arrangements proposed by the Commander in Chief for reducing Regiments of Native Infantry to the Establishment fixed by G. O. G. No. 2 of 1860.

ORDER No. 2111, 8TH JUNE 1860.

The Governor in Council observes that the Havildar referred to should receive gratuity according to the Pay of his rank, and authorizes this course to be pursued in all similar cases in future.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

A. O. 6th July 1860.—1. The following is published for general information.

No. 4274.

To,

The Brigadier Commandant of Artillery.

SIR,

In reply to your letter No. 842 of 29th ultimo, I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief, to acquaint you, that the Clothing granted as a Bounty to the men temporarily transferred to the Madras Artillery, was intended for those only who might permanently volunteer for that Regiment, and is not therefore issuable, nor is compensation in lieu, to those who, of their own free will, have elected to return to their former Corps.

I have the honor to be &c.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
4th July 1860.

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lieut. Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

A. O. 23rd July 1860.—II. The following extract from a letter No. 227 dated 15th June 1860 from the Military Auditor General, relative to the application of the Royal

* Republished in G. O. G.
1st June 1860, No. 259.

Warrant* of 1st March 1860 on the subject of Good Conduct Pay, is published for general

information and guidance.

“ The Royal Warrant referred to distinctly lays down, as
“ a rule, that 5 years must elapse between the grant of each
“ penny of Good Conduct Pay ;—men who were in receipt
“ of 1 penny after 5, or 2*d* after 10 years service, on the 1st
“ March 1860, cannot be admitted to another penny until
“ the completion of another 5 years service (under the condi-
“ tions of the Royal Warrant dated 1st July 1848) from the
“ date they received their last penny.”

“ Men who had completed 3 years service, (without entry
“ in the Defaulter's Book for the last 2 years,) on the 1st
“ March 1860, are entitled to 1*d* per diem Good Conduct
“ Pay ; and, on completing a further term of 5 years ser-
“ vice, to a 2nd penny on the same condition.”

“ Men who, on the 1st March 1860, had completed 4 years
“ service, (without entry in the Defaulter's Book as above,)
“ are at once entitled to 1*d* per diem from that date ; but
“ will not become entitled to a 2nd penny until they shall
“ have served a further period of 5 years, without entry in
“ the Defaulter's Book for the prescribed period.”

ARRIVALS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>At.</i>
— July	Capt. (Bt. Maj) T. H. Campbell,	Bangalore	Madras.
19th „	Lieut. H. F. Pritchard,	Tonghoo	„
26th „	„ B. L. Gordon,	Bangalore	St. Thos' Mount
27th „	Captain G. B. B. Holmes,	Europe	Madras
	2d Captain A. J. Ogilvie,		
	Lieutenant H. M. Finlay,		

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
8th July	Lieut. B. L. Gordon,	Madras	Bangalore.
11th „	Capt. (Lt. Col.) J. L. Barrow, } Act. Prin. Com. of Ordnance. }	„	Europe.
„ „	Captain W. S. Mann,	„	Secunderabad.
14th „	Lieutenant J. H. Gleig,	„	Rangoon

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
6th July	Capt. (Bt. Major) T. H. Campbell, } Comy. of Ordnance, Bangalore. }	To act as Principal Commissary of Ordnance, during the leave of absence of Lieut. Colonel Barrow, or until further orders.
	Captain R. Morton, } Act. Dep. Com. of Ord. Bellary. }	To act as Commissary of Ordnance at Bangalore, during the absence of Major Campbell on other duty, or until further orders.
10th „	Senior Lieut. W. D. Forster,—	To be 2d Captain, vice Peach transferred to the Invalid Pension Es- tablishment; date of Commission, 9th July 1860.
MEMO.—Lieutenant St. J. C. Shawe is entitled to the Pay and Allowances of Lieutenant from 9th July, 1860, in succession to Forster promoted.		
7th „	Lieut. B. L. Gordon, } Horse Artillery. }	Appointed to do duty with the Artil- lery Recruit Dépôt Saint Thomas' until further orders.
9th „	Lieutenant J. H. Gleig, } D. Com. 4th Batt. Arty. }	Appointed to the charge of Details of Artillery, under orders to proceed to Pegu in the Steamer <i>Dalhousie</i> .
13th „	Lt. Col. (Colonel) G. Balfour, C. B.,—	To be President of the Military Finance Commission.
16th „	Lieut. W. D'O. Kerrich,	Appointed Adjutant of the 5th Batta- lion Artillery, vice Forster, who has vacated the appointment under the provisions of para. 19, G. O. G. No. 288, 5th December 1854.

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
19th July	Lieut. C. J. McMahon.	{ d. d. Head Qrs. } Horse Artillery.	B. Troop H. A. To remain at Bangalore till 15th October next, and then to proceed to join.
28th „	2d Capt G. C. Robinson, D. Comy. 1st Battn. Arty.	{	Is relieved from doing duty with the Artillery at Bangalore and will proceed to join his Company at Rangoon.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
6th July	2d Captain R. C. B. Highmoor, } 4th Battalion Artillery.	Vizagapatam, Madras and Eastern Coast, S. C., till 31st December 1860.
28th „	Captain A. Stewart.—	The leave granted in G. O. C. C. dated 17th September 1855, is cancelled: and in lieu thereof, that Officer is granted <i>privilege leave</i> from the 6th to the 15th January 1856.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	<i>Names</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
3rd July	Capt. (Lt. Col.) J. L. Barrow, } Comy. of Ord. H. S. Force and } Act. Prin. Comy. of Ordnance. }	On Furlough for six months, under the regulations of 1854.
31st „	Lieutenant Col. G. S. Cotter,—	Leave extended for 4 months.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1860.	4th July	Lieutenant B. L. Gordon.—Qualified as Adjutant, under para. 8, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853, No. 46.
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ORDER OF THE BATH.

1860.	24th July	Captain C. Elliot, Depy. Commr. Nagpore.	{ To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companion of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath.
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ORDERS CONFIRMED.

18th July 1860.

11th June 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Ceded Districts, directing Lieutenant W. Manderson of the C. Company 1st Battalion Madras Artillery to take charge of the Arsenal at Bellary, during the absence of Captain R. Morton or until further orders, to have effect from the date on which Captain Morton assumed charge of the Bangalore Arsenal.

TRANSFER TO INVALID PENSION LIST.

Extract from G. O. G. No. 309, 5th July 1860.

“2nd Captain R. A. Peach, of the Artillery, being permanently disqualified for the performance of both active and garrison duties, is transferred to the Invalid Pension List from the 8th July 1860.”

Captain R. A. Peach was a Cadet of 1849 and arrived in India 10th June 1849.—Date of Commission as 2d Lieutenant 8th December 1848; as 1st Lieutenant 20th August 1854, and as 2nd Captain 27th April 1859.

Passed examination at College in Hindoostanee, Creditable progress 26th March 1850, for General Staff G. O. C. C. 13th October 1856, and as Interpreter 9th and 10th January 1857.

Was employed with the Expedition to Burmah from 10th September 1852 to cessation of Hostilities on 30th June 1853.

Was 36th, 2d Captain on date of Transfer to the Invalid Pension List, viz. 8th July 1860.

RULES FOR THE GUIDANCE OF OFFICERS VISITING THE NILGIRIS ON MEDICAL CERTIFICATE &c.

G. O. C. C. No. 90, 9th August 1860.—The Commander in Chief calls the attention of Officers to the following Rules, published for the guidance of Officers visiting the Nilgiris on medical certificate &c.

1st.—All sick Officers on arrival at Utakamund, Kotagerry, or Coonoor, are to report themselves either personally

or in writing to the Medical Officer in whose District they are, and *if necessary apply* for his medical attendance.

2nd.—So long as Officers are under medical treatment, they must obtain the permission of their Medical attendant, before changing their Station or absenting themselves from it beyond the day ; but when not under treatment, may change their Station as oft as they feel inclined, always reporting themselves to the Medical Officer of their new Station.

3rd.—Every Officer while under medical treatment, is to consider himself in the hands of the Surgeon of the District in which he resides, and such District Officer is alone responsible for his patient's treatment.

4th.—In cases of emergency, Medical Officers, without reference to their particular charge, will afford the most prompt assistance in the first instance, to all cases in which their services are called for, *informing the patient*, at the same time, who his proper medical attendant is.

5th.—Medical certificates granted by private practitioners to Military Officers, cannot under any circumstances be recognized, but such Certificates, when countersigned after *perusal of the case* and personal Examination of the patient by the Medical Officer of the District, are to be submitted for the decision of a Board of Medical Officers, convened under the orders of the Officer Commanding the Division.

6th.—Officers are not to quit the Hills for the purpose of returning to their duty until such period, short of the expiration of their leave, as will allow them time, at the prescribed rate of marching, to join ; and then only on being reported by the Medical Officer of their District as fit to join.

7th.—The families of Military Officers, *if in Military employ*, are entitled to gratuitous Medical aid from the Surgeon of the District in which they reside.

8th.—Officers of H. M.'s British and Madras Armies, residing on the Nilgiris, are available, under orders of the

Officer Commanding the Southern Division, for employment at Wellington or other Stations on the Hills on Military duties, such as Courts-Martial (Superior to Regimental) or mixed Committees of Her Majesty's Service, unless reported unfit by their Medical attendant.

9th.—A monthly Register or Roster will be kept by each Medical Officer shewing the Rank and Names of the Officers considered eligible for such employment, who will forward the Register on the 1st or 2nd of each month to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant General of the Division.

10th.—This arrangement is intended to obviate the necessity of withdrawing Officers from distant Stations, for the performance of duties which can be readily carried on locally and it is to be distinctly understood, that such employ will confer no claim to extra allowances, or to compensation for any other allowances suspended during residence on the Hills; nor is an Officer to be detailed for such duty, if it shall interfere with the tenor of his medical certificate, by placing him on duty of uncertain duration, and thus preventing his return to duty within the period originally specified,—unless under special sanction, to be previously obtained from Army Head Quarters.

11th.—Printed Copies of these Rules to be supplied from Madras to each Medical Officer for information of Sick Officers on arrival on the Hills, which when thoroughly perused will be returned to the Medical Officer signed.

12th.—Any infringement of these orders, to be immediately reported to the Officer Commanding the Division, through the proper channel, who will, if necessary, forward the same to the Adjutant General of the Army for His Excellency's disposal.

N. B.—Officers on privilege leave on the Nilgiris are to report themselves on arrival and departure to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant General of the Division, and are available for the duties specified in para. 8, at the discretion of the

Officer Commanding the Division, who will however detail Officers on general in preference to those on privilege leave.

FORM OF FURLOUGH CERTIFICATE FOR NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN MILITARY FORCES.

G. O. G. No. 376, 17th August 1860.—With reference to *G. O. G. No. 226, dated 15th May 1860*, the Governor in Council directs that the following Form of Furlough Certificate for Non-Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, approved by the Government of India, be adopted hereafter in this Presidency.

FURLOUGH CERTIFICATE.

CERTIFIED that the bearer hereof

Regiment.

years and month of age, feet inches high, Hair,

Complexion, Eyes, by trade a

a Native of in the County of

and Kingdom of Enlisted at on the

day of One thousand eight hundred and

for

Character .

Has been granted Furlough to England for the period of on Medical Certificate, having received his Pay, Arrears of Pay, Clothing and all other Demands to date of Embarkation, as appears by the receipt on the other side.

By order of the Commander-in-Chief,

Entered in the Adjutant

General's Office, No.

Adjutant General of the Army.

I acknowledge to have received a full and true account of my Pay, Arrears of Pay, Clothing and all other Demands to this present date.

Witness my hand, this day of

One thousand eight hundred and

In the presence of

BATTA TO NATIVE TROOPS PROCEEDING FROM PORT TO PORT BY SEA, OR BY BOATS, ON RIVERS &c.

G. O. G. No. 377, 21st August 1860.—The Honorable the Governor in Council directs that when Native Corps or Detachments are moved from Port to Port in India by Sea, or when they proceed in course of periodical reliefs by Boats, on rivers, Backwaters or canals, the Native Ranks shall be considered entitled, without reference to the duration of the voyage, to the same amount of Batta as would have been payable to them, had the Troops proceeded by land; to be calculated according to the time required by the Quarter Master General's route with the usual halts, Certificates of which will be furnished by that Officer

2. If employed from the date of their arrival at the new station on any fresh duties giving claims to Batta, they will be entitled to be paid accordingly.

3. It is however to be distinctly understood that this grant of Batta is contingent upon the movement of the families of the Troops at their own expense. If the families are moved at the expense of Government, Batta according to distance will not be admissable, it being granted expressly for the purpose of assisting the Native Troops in providing for the carriage of their families.

4. In support of claims to Batta under this order, it will be requisite to attach to the abstract containing the charge, a Certificate from the Officer Commanding the Regiment or Detachment that the families were not conveyed at the public expense—also the prescribed Certificate of distance with halts, from the Quarter Master General's Department.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE NON-COMMISSIONED AND WARRANT GRADES OF THE ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT, AND FOR OTHER NON-COMMISSIONED STAFF, TO WHOM TO BE SENT.

G. O. G. C. No. 92, 25th August 1860.—The Commander in Chief directs the attention of Officers Commanding Corps

and Heads of Departments to para. 2 of G. O. C. C. dated 11th January 1858, No. 5, and to Circular Order by the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines dated 23rd June 1859, No. 35, directing all recommendations for appointments to the *Non-Commissioned and Warrant Grades of the Ordnance Department* to be forwarded to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

2. Recommendation Rolls for all other appointments to the Non-Commissioned Staff are still to be forwarded as heretofore to the Adjutant General of the Army annually on 1st July.

3. In the event of any man included in these Rolls having also been recommended for the Ordnance Department, the circumstance is to be specified in the last column of the Roll.

SCALE OF RATIONS TO EUROPEAN TROOPS NOT TO BE ALTERED, EXCEPT FOR SICK IN HOSPITAL, OR IN CASES OF GRAVE EMERGENCY.

G. O. C. C. No. 94, 25th August 1860.—Under instructions from Government, the Commander-in-Chief directs it to be notified that the Regulation fixing the scale of Rations to be supplied to European Troops, having been established by the Supreme Government, and declared applicable to the three Presidencies, it is not competent to any inferior Authority to order any alteration of the scale, except for the sick in Hospital, or in cases of grave emergency; and when made, it will be on the responsibility of the Officer ordering the change until approved of by Government.

2. His Excellency also directs it to be intimated, that the Supreme Government having declared that it is not desirable to issue a Salt Ration weekly, no such issue is to be made without the sanction of Government previously obtained.

A. O. 4th August 1860.—1. The following extract from a letter from the Adjutant General of the Army No. 622 dated 3rd July 1860, and the order of Government thereon, are published for general information and guidance.

“ It will probably be found expedient to make use of these Native Horse Battery Drivers for the present, to

“ assist in looking after the Horses of the Batteries, until
 “ the European Drivers join; but as all must eventually be
 “ disposed of, I am to request the sanction of Government
 “ to such number of Gun Lascars of short service being
 “ allowed to take their discharge, from time, to time, with
 “ Gratuity at the rate of Rupees 7 for each year of service,
 “ as may be requisite to absorb into that branch, the Super-
 “ numerary Horse Battery and Karkhana Drivers of good
 “ character, who may wish to be transferred thereto.”

“ ORDER No. 2557, 16TH JULY 1860.

“ The Governor in Council sanctions the arrangement
 “ proposed by His Excellency the Commander in Chief in
 “ the 3rd paragraph of the letter from the Adjutant General
 “ above recorded; viz: to allow such number of Gun Las-
 “ cars of short service to take their discharge, with Gratuity,
 “ as may be requisite to absorb in that branch the Supernu-
 “ merary Horse Battery and Karkhana Drivers, of good
 “ character, who may wish to be transferred thereto.”

2. With reference to the foregoing, and under instructions from Army Head Quarters, it is explained that the term men of short service, means men who have not completed the period of service entitling them to pension.

A. O. 13th August 1860.—I. The following decision of Government, under date the 2nd August 1860, No. 278, is published for general information.

“ Sanctions the arrangements proposed by the Brigadier
 “ Commandant of Artillery for substituting European
 “ Soldiers for Natives, as Clerks in the Office of the Assist-
 “ ant Adjutant General of Artillery, the same being carried
 “ out as vacancies occur.”

A. O. 17th August 1860.—On the arrival of the F. Com-
 pany 5th Battalion at Cuttack, the 2nd Supplemental Com-
 pany of that Battalion will be considered as broken up; and,
 from that date, the promotion among the Native Commissioned

and Non-Commissioned Officers of the reduced Company will,

* A. G. A. letter No. 1854, dated under instructions* from 9th March 1860.

Army Head Quarters, be made on the same principle as laid down in G. O. C. C. No. 11 dated 21st January 1860.

2. The Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers now on the strength of the 2d Supplemental Company, will be kept at the Mount until all are absorbed, or until further orders.

A. O. No. 8, 22nd August 1860.—III. The Commandant of Artillery desires it to be notified, under instructions from Army Head Quarters, that East Indian Drivers, and Foot Artillery men whose Companies have Horse Field Batteries attached to them, are entitled to the Wicker Helmet sanctioned for mounted men in G. O. C. C. No. 57 dated 1st May 1860.

2. This order has effect only from date of receipt, and it is to be distinctly understood that no compensation, for the difference between the cost of the two kinds of Helmets, will be allowed, to men who have already received the Helmet for Dismounted men, nor are these latter to be replaced until they have been the full time in wear.

A. O. 29th August 1860.—II. The following addition to be made to Rule 11 under head "MEMBERS AND HONORARY MEMBERS—BY BALLOT," of A. O. dated 19th January 1859 para. II.

"Members of the Society, Permanent Residents, at Palaveram and Guindy (including the Staff of the Governor) are eligible for election, by Ballot, as Honorary Members of the Mount Mess."

ARRIVALS.

1860.	Names.	From.	At.
7th August	Lieut. H. L. Armstrong,	Straits	Madras.
10th	" Captain (Lt. Col.) J. D. Mein,	Europe	Bombay.
13th	" Lt. Col. (Colonel) J. W. Croggan	Rangoon	"
—	" Lieut. W. Wyndham,	Bellary	Madras.
21st	" " F. E. Hadow,	Europe	"

DEPARTURES.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>From.</i>	<i>To.</i>
14th Aug.	Lieut. H. P. T. MacCarthy,	Madras	Europe.
24th „ „	H. F. Pritchard,	St. Thos' Mount	Cuttack.
25th „ „	D. D. Anderson,	„	Bangalore.
28th „	2d Captain G. C. Robinson,	Madras	Rangoon.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>To.</i>
10th August	Senior Lt. Col. (unattached) } Major General Æ. Shirreff.	To be Colonel, vice Blundell deceased; date of Commission, 6th July 1860.
	Lieutenant C. E. Watson,—To be Assistant Commissioner, 2d Class, consequent on the removal of Captain C. D. Grant, Deputy Commissioner, Martaban.	
10th „	Lieutenant W. Manderson, } C. Compy. 1st Battn. Arty.	To be considered as having taken charge of the Arsenal at Bellary <i>without prejudice to his Regimental duty.</i>
14th „	Senior 2d Capt. G. Carleton,—To be Captain, } Senior Lieut. G. F. Blair,—To be 2d Captain, }	Vice Jones deceased; date of Commissions, 19th July 1860.
	<i>Memorandum.</i> —Lieutenant A. C. Davidson, is entitled to the Pay and Allowances of Lieutenant from the 19th July 1860. in succession to Blair promoted.	
„ „	Lieutenant Colonel E. Brice, } H. B. Artillery,	To act for Captain Taylor (during absence on Private affairs for 10 days) as Paymaster at Bangalore, without prejudice to his Regimental duties.
18th „	Lieutenant D. D. Anderson,—To be Adjutant of the Horse Brigade.	
„ „	Lieutenant B. L. Gordon,—To be Adjutant of the Artillery Recruit Depot.	
24th „	Captain W. C. L. Baker, } Commissary of Ordnance } Fort Saint George.	Considered to have officiated as Principal Commissary of Ordnance, from 12th to 16th July 1860, without prejudice to his own duties.
27th „	2d Captain G. C. Robinson,—Appointed to the Command of Troops and Followers proceeding to the Northern Ports and Rangoon on the <i>Dalhousie</i> .	
31st „	Captain (Major) W. K. Worster,—To act as Government Astronomer, until further orders.	

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1860. 8th Aug.	Captain F. G. Nuthall <i>d. d. B. Company 2nd Battalion Artillery.</i>	Horse Bri- gade Non- Effective.		B.	2nd	{ To do duty under the orders of Officer Commanding Artillery Centre Division, till the season admits of marching.
	Captain A. N. Scott.....	A.	4th	B.	3rd	
	" G. B. S. Holmes...	B.	3rd	A.	4th	
	" J. De C. Sinclair	late promo- tion.		B.	1st	
	2d Capt. N. G. Campbell	Horse Bri- gade Non- Effective.		B.	1st	{ To do duty under the orders of Officer Commanding Artillery Centre Division, till the season admits of marching.
	" G. G. J. Campbell.	do.		B.	4th	
	" A. J. Ogilvie, } <i>D. Troop Horse Brigade.</i> }	... ..	... ..	...	.....
	2d Capt. E. S. Milman ...	late promo- tion.		D.	H. B.	
	" W. D. Forster.....	do.		D.	5th	
	Lieut. W. D. O. Kerrich	Horse Bri- gade Non- Effective.		B.	5th	
	" M. P. Lane, <i>D.</i> } <i>Company 3rd Battalion</i> <i>Artillery.</i> }	{ Will continue to do duty with the Horse Brigade until further orders.
11th "	Lieut. R. Thompson.....	{ 2nd Supl }	5th	F.	5th	{ To relieve Lieute- nant Pritchard of F. Company on its arrival at Cuttack.
17th "	B. Company 1st Battalion Artillery.....	Moulmein.		Cannanore.		As a Reserve Company.
	C. Company 1st Battalion Artillery.....	Bellary.		Moulmein.		
	Guns, Horses and Drivers of Ditto	do.		Cannanore.		
	½ Company Gun Las- cars attached to C. Company 2nd Battalion Artillery	Trichinopoly		Rangoon.		
	½ G. Company Gun Las- cars attached to C. Com- pany 1st Battalion Ar- tillery.	Bellary.		do.		
	½ B. Company Gun Las- cars attached to D. Com- pany 1st Battalion Artillery.	Rangoon.		Cannanore.		
	½ H. Company Gun Las- cars attached to D. Com- pany 4th Battalion Artillery.	do.		Trichinopoly		
21st "	Colonel (Major General) Æ. Shirreff.....	late promo- tion.		...	1st	{ To join the Mount when relieved from the Adjutancy of the Horse Brigade.
	Captain G. Carleton.....	do.		B.	3rd No. 5 Horse Battery.	
	2d Captain G. F. Blair.....	do.		C.	3rd	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Where and Remarks.</i>
14th August	Lieut. H. F. Pritchard, C. Company 4th Battalion Arty.	} From date of giving over charge of the F. Company 5th Battalion Artillery, at Cuttack for 40 days— <i>privi- lege leave.</i>

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Remarks.</i>
13th August	Lieut. H. P. T. MacCarthy,—	On medical certificate for 18 months, under the regula- tions of 1854, and to em- bark from Madras.
31st „	Lieut. F. E. Hadow,—	The leave granted in G. O. G. 13th August 1858, No. 314, and extended in G. O. G. 6th March 1860, No. 89, is further extended to the 21st August 1860, the date of his arrival at Madras.

EXAMINED IN THE HINDOOSTANEE LANGUAGE.

1860.	
6th August	Lieut. R. Alexander,—Passed the examination prescribed for Officers of <i>Companies</i> .
20th „	Lieut. E. W. Childers,—Cannanore—Qualified for the General Staff, under para. 11, G. O. C. C. 6th July 1853, No. 46.
2nd Captain	G. Dangerfield,—Trichinopoly—Creditable progress. The Moonshee allowance to be disbursed to 2nd Captain G. Dangerfield.

SERVICES.

1860.	
26th August,—	The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to count as service the periods of their absence on sick certificate as specified against their names on account of wounds received in action and sickness contracted by service in the field.

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Lieutenant J. C. Taylor Artillery—a period not exceeding 18 months.

ORDERS CONFIRMED.

9th August 1860.

2nd August 1860.—By the Officer Commanding Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, directing Captain W. S. Maun, Madras Artillery, under instructions from Army Head Quarters, to do duty with the A. Company 4th Battalion Madras Artillery and No. 1 Horse Field Battery at Secunderabad, until further orders.

DEATH.

In Europe on the 5th July 1860, Major General F. Blundell, C. B., Artillery.

Colonel F. Blundell was a Cadet of 1813 and arrived in India 7th September 1814. Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 4th July 1814; as 1st Lieutenant 1st September 1818; as Captain 3rd August 1825; as Major in the Army 28th June 1838; as Major in the Regiment 31st December 1839; as Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army 23rd December 1842; as Lieutenant-Colonel in the Regiment 3rd July 1845; as Colonel in the Army 14th July 1853; as Colonel in the Regiment 4th May 1858, and as Major General 28th November 1854.

Was present at the Capture of Kurnool in 1815.—Served in the Mahratta Campaigns of 1817 and 1818; and was present at the battle of Mahidpore 21st September 1817, and Capture of Talnair 27th February 1818.

Was Adjutant of the 1st Battalion Artillery from 17th July to 29th October 1821;—Quarter Master, Interpreter and Paymaster of the 1st Battalion from 30th December 1821 to 5th December 1825, and Acting Adjutant from 19th August to 5th December 1825.

Commanded the D. Company 5th Battalion at Cannanore from December 1825 to 3rd April 1826, and was Acting Commissary of Ordnance at that Station from 23rd December 1825 to 19th March 1826.

Commanded Detachment 2nd Battalion at the Mount from 21st May to 2nd August 1826.

Commanded B. Company 3rd Battalion from 3rd August 1826 and proceeded with it to Penang 13th December 1826—returned to the Mount in June 1829 and Commanded the Company till September 1829.

Was Commissary of Ordnance at Penang from 6th August 1827 to May 1829; his services while so employed were brought to the notice of the Madras Government, by the Secretary to the Government at Fort Cornwallis (Penang) published in Artillery Orders dated 6th July 1829 as follows—"I am instructed to add that the Honorable the Governor in Council, has had every reason to be pleased, with the zeal and ability of Captain Blundell, since he has been employed under this Government".—Was Commissary of Ordnance at Bellary from 30th October 1829 to 2nd October 1838.—Acting Director Artillery Depôt from 23rd October 1838 to 30th June 1840, and from 11th December 1840 to 9th February 1841.

Commanded the 2nd Battalion from 13th January 1840 to 5th March 1844,—in the meantime Commanded a Detachment of Madras Artillery on Service in China from 12th March 1842 to 17th January 1843; and was present at the capture of Chinghae; Storming of Ching-Keang-Foo, and operations before Nankin in 1842.

Commanded 1st Battalion and Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary From 15th April 1844 to 21st March 1845. Commanded 2nd Battalion from 14th April 1845 to 27th February 1846.—Commanded 1st Battalion and Artillery Hyderabad Subsidiary Force from 27th March 1846 to 4th December 1850, in the meantime Commanded an Expedition against Gulburgah, His Highness the Nizam's Dominions in October and November 1848.

Was Principal Commissary of Ordnance from 29th November 1850 to 10th May 1855.—Commandant of Artillery

with the rank of Brigadier from 10th February to 28th February 1854, and from 10th May 1855 to 14th March 1856.

Returned to Europe on Furlough 29th April 1859, where he died on the 5th July 1860, being then the 7th Colonel.

DEATH.

At Rangoon on the 18th July 1860, Captain A. C. Jones, Artillery.

Captain A. C. Jones was a Cadet of 1842 and arrived in India 7th July 1842.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 11th June 1842; as 1st Lieutenant 30th July 1845; as Captain in the Army 11th June 1857; as 2nd Captain in the Regiment 27th August 1858 and as Captain in the Regiment 8th March 1860.

Served in the Southern Mahratta Country in 1844 and 1845; and was present at the Storming of Samunghur 13th October 1844; Capture of Purnallaghur and Powenghur 30th November and 1st December 1844; on these occasions his services were noticed in Artillery Orders No. 816 of 28th October 1844, and No. 820 of 20th December 1844; Capture of Rangna 10th December 1844; on which occasion his services were noticed by Lieutenant-Colonel J. Wallace, Commanding 1st Infantry Brigade and Light Field Force, dated Camp at Chukwarree, 11th December 1844, published in A. O. No. 822, 3rd January 1845 as follows:—" I have
 " to express my thanks to Lieutenant Grubb and 2nd
 " Lieutenant Jones and to the Non-Commissioned Rank and
 " File of the A. Company 2nd Battalion of Madras Artillery for the admirable practice of the guns and mortars,
 " and for their cheerful performance of their laborious duties
 " at the battery during the entire day and night of the 10th
 " instant." Capture of Munohur and Munsuntosh 26th January 1845—his services on this occasion were noticed in Artillery Orders No. 829, 7th February 1845; No. 832, 15th February 1845 and No. 843 20th June 1845.

Passed examination in Hindoostanee for the charge of a Company 2nd October 1852.

Served with the Nagpore Moveable Column, and Commanded the D. Company 3rd Battalion from 20th July to 20th October 1857; and was present at the affair with 52nd Bengal Mutineers near Kuttensee 27th September 1857, and at the taking of the Village of Balacota.

Was 41st Captain at the date of his decease—18th July 1860.

MILITARY STUDENTS AT THE ENGINEERING COLLEGE TO BE BORNE ON THE LIST OF EFFECTIVE SUPERNUMERARIES.

G. O. G. No. 391, 4th September 1860.—The Governor in Council has resolved that Military Students at the Engineering College at Madras, who are retained after being two months in the College, be struck off the rolls of their respective Regiments with a view to allow of promotions being made in their room.

2. They will, however, be borne on the List of Effective Supernumeraries, and in the event of their subsequently misconducting themselves while at College, or after their transfer to any of the Departments of the Public Service, they will be liable to be remanded to the local Army.

3. Such of the Students as may be permitted to take employment under the Railway or Irrigation Companies, will first receive their discharge from the Service.

OFFICERS IN COMMAND OF EUROPEAN TROOPS TO ARRANGE FOR THE LOCAL MANUFACTURE AND PROVISION OF WICKER HELMETS.

G. O. C. C. No. 99, 6th September 1860.—In order to preclude the expense of carriage of Wicker Helmets from

the Presidency and their possible damage en route, His Excellency the Commander in Chief desires Officers in Command of Her Majesty's British and Indian European Troops, periodically entitled to supplies of these Helmets, to arrange if possible, for their local manufacture and provision in all cases.

2. The Army Clothing Department will meet such requisitions as may be made upon it for Wicker Helmets : but, His Excellency the Commander in Chief expects, they will be of rare occurrence ; as, it is understood, Wicker Helmets can be made up at almost all stations where European Troops are located.

3. A biennial grant of six Rupees to Mounted Men, as well as to Foot Artillery Men, whose Companies have Horse Batteries attached to them : and four Rupees to all others, will be allowed, in January of every alternate year ; and Officers Commanding are at liberty to enter into any arrangements that may be necessary, for the due provision of the Head Dress ; The biennial allowance will admit of superior Helmets being obtained, with Turbands and Covers, to last two years.

4. The Helmet, once issued, is to be considered the property of the Soldier : renewable at the expiration of two years ; on occasions of Casualties, to be sold for the benefit of Estates.

5. Abstracts for the biennial allowance, to be accompanied with returns of present strength of Corps, &c.,

6. A sealed pattern Helmet, will be supplied to each European Corps and Battalion of Artillery on the Madras Establishment, by the Superintendent and agent for Army Clothing.

7. All previous orders, respecting Wicker Helmets, are hereby cancelled.

SCALE OF RATIONS FOR THE WIVES AND CHILDREN OF NON COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS WHEN TRAVELLING AT THE PUBLIC EXPENSE BY RAIL OR TRANSIT.

G. O. G. No. 403, 14th September 1860.—The Wives and Children of Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers when travelling at the public expense by Rail or Transit, will, when necessary, be Rationed by the Commissariat Department according to the regulated scale for Soldiers—Women receiving full, and Children half Rations divided into three meals, Breakfast, Dinner and Supper, as per annexed scale.

Payment to be made for the same at the rate of Annas 3-4 per day for each Woman and half that amount for each Child, to be recovered through the Pay Department—Nominal Lists being furnished monthly by Commissariat Officers to Paymasters.

The Rations will be cooked, and Milk supplied.

Scale for Victualling Women and Children, families of European Troops, proceeding by Rail or Transit under the authority of Government.

		Bread.		Meat.		Tea.		Sugar.		Rice.		Salt.		Vegetables		Firewood.		Milk.		Servants wages and cooking articles.	Amount proportion of Stoppages for Soldiers Rations.	
		lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	lb.	ozs.	Pints.	Drams.			
For 1 Woman.	Breakfast.	...	8	...	8	...	14	...	14	...	4	...	4	...	2	...	14	...	...	To be passed upon indenta sanctioned by the Commissary General.	Rs.	A. P.
	Dinner.....	...	8	...	8	...	14	...	14	...	4	...	4	...	2	...	14	...	...		0	1 8
	Supper.....	...	8	...	8	...	14	...	14	...	4	...	4	...	2	...	14	...	...		0	1 0
	Total...	1	...	1	...	...	...	24	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	8	...	...	...		0	3 4
For 1 Child.	Breakfast.	...	4	...	4	...	7	...	7	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	7	...	...	To be passed upon indenta sanctioned by the Commissary General.	...	...
	Dinner.....	...	4	...	4	...	7	...	7	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	7	...	...		0	0 10
	Supper.....	...	4	...	4	...	7	...	7	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	7	...	...		0	0 6
	Total...	...	8	...	8	...	14	...	14	...	4	...	4	...	2	...	14	...	...		0	0 4

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE TO EUROPE TO BE SUBMITTED THROUGH THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

G. O. G. No. 404, 14th September 1860.—It having been brought to the notice of Government, that instances have

recently occurred in which Military and Medical Officers in Civil employ have obtained leave to Europe through the Civil Department, the Governor in Council desires to call the attention of all Officers, to para. 10, Section XVIII of the General Regulations and to G. O. G. dated 18th August 1854 No. 191, requiring all applications for leave to Europe to be submitted through His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

ATTENTION CALLED TO G. O. APPOINTING COMMITTEES TO INVESTIGATE "CLAIMS TO INDEMNIFICATION FOR LOSSES."

G. O. G. No. 405, 14th September 1860.—It having been brought to the notice of Government that the provisions of

*G. O. G. 26th February 1855,** are insufficiently attended to by Committees appointed to investigate "claims to indemnification for losses," the Governor in Council directs that the particular attention of all Military authorities under whose orders such Committees are assembled, be called to the provisions of the order in question, which must be strictly enforced; inattention to the rules in question having been productive not only of delay in the adjustment of claims, but also of great inconvenience to the several departments concerned in submitting such claims for the decision of Government.

LIST OF PRICES BY WHICH STOPPAGES FOR ARMS, ACCOUTREMENTS, AMMUNITION AND EQUIPMENTS WILL BE REGULATED.

G. O. G. No. 418, 28th September 1860.—The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish, for general information, the following List of Prices, by which stoppages for Arms, Accoutrements, Ammunition and Equipments, wilfully or carelessly lost or damaged, will in future be regulated, in substitution of the order now in force, vizt. No. 82 of 11th May 1852.

2. When such Arms, Accountments, &c., are issued on payment to replace any which have been damaged, the party called upon to pay, will receive Credit for the Article he has had in use—if repairable, at its value as estimated by the Ordnance Officer, after having been repaired, less the cost incurred in effecting the repairs; or, if unserviceable, at one-tenth of the original value:—but in all cases, the Article will be returned into the Public Store, and is never to be made over to the party.

Articles.	Value.			Articles.	Value.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
FIRE ARMS.							
RIFLE.							
<i>Carbines Artillery Rifle Percussion.</i>				Lock.....	5	15	5ea
Barrel	27	15	0ea	Ramrod	1	4	0,,
Lock.....	7	0	4,,	Stock	10	1	9,,
Ramrod	1	4	0,,	Carbine, Rifled Sharpe's			
Stock	10	13	3,,	breech loading Bore			
Carbines, Artillery Rifle,				577 complete.....	44	14	0,,
Percussion complete....	47	3	5,,	<i>Muskets Rifle Percussion</i>			
<i>Carbines Cavalry Rifle</i>				(Brunswick.)			
<i>Percussion Bore 577 of</i>				Barrel.....	33	7	2,,
1856.				Lock.....	5	5	3,,
Barrel	19	4	0,,	Ramrod	1	4	0,,
Lock.....	4	3	2,,	Stock.....	13	0	5,,
Ramrod.....	1	4	0,,	Muskets, Rifle Percus-			
Stock.....	7	1	9,,	sion (Brunswick) com-			
Carbines, Cavalry Rifle,				plete	53	3	8,,
Percussion Bore 577				<i>Musket, Rifle Percussion</i>			
complete.....	31	15	9,,	<i>Pattern 1853 Bore 577.</i>			
<i>Carbines Rifle Percussion</i>				Barrel	22	8	4,,
<i>Sappers and Miners Bore</i>				Lock.....	3	9	5,,
577.				Ramrod.....	1	4	0,,
Barrel	24	5	6,,	Stock	8	12	4,,
Lock.....	5	4	11,,	Musket, Rifle Percus-			
Ramrod.....	1	4	0,,	sion Pattern 1853 Bore			
Stock.....	8	15	9,,	577 complete.....	36	4	11,,
Carbine, Rifle Percus-				<i>Muskets Rifle Short Per-</i>			
sion, Sappers and Min-				<i>cussion Bore 577 of 1856.</i>			
ers Bore 577 com-				Barrel	29	14	1,,
plete.....	40	1	0,,	Lock.....	7	4	5,,
<i>Carbines Rifle Sharpe's</i>				Ramrod.....	1	4	0,,
<i>breech loading Bore</i>				Stock.....	11	8	4,,
577.				Musket, Rifle, Short Per-			
Barrel	27	6	0,,	cussion Bore 577 of			
				1856 complete.....	50	1	8,,

Articles.	Value.			Articles.	Value.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
<i>Pistols, Cavalry Percussion Rifle Bore .577.</i>				<i>Pistols, Cavalry Percussion Smooth Bore.</i>			
Barrel.....	14	1	6ea	Barrel.....	8	4	10ea
Lock.....	7	14	8,,	Lock.....	4	10	7,,
Ramrod.....	0	4	3,,	Ramrod.....	0	4	3,,
Stock.....	6	13	7,,	Stock.....	4	0	6,,
Pistol Cavalry Percussion Rifle Bore .577 complete.....	29	4	10,,	Pistol, Cavalry Percussion Smooth Bore complete.....	17	7	0,,
<i>SMOOTH BORE.</i>				<i>Side Arms.</i>			
<i>Carbines Cavalry Percussion Smooth large and small.</i>				Bayonet Fuzil Percussion	1	2	8,,
Barrel.....	17	2	4,,	" Musket, common (Flint Lock)	1	2	0,,
Lock.....	4	5	0,,	" " Percussion..	1	2	8,,
Ramrod.....	1	4	0,,	" " Rifle Bore .577.....	1	1	10,,
Stock.....	6	10	3,,	Swords, Carbine Percussion, Sappers and Miners.....	8	0	2,,
Carbine Cavalry Percussion Smooth large and small complete.....	29	8	5,,	Swords, Carbine Rifle Artillery Bore .577.	4	9	8,,
<i>Carbines, Sappers and Miners Percussion.</i>				" Iron Ramrod back large handle for Europeans.....	7	11	7,,
Barrel.....	18	0	5,,	Swords, Iron Ramrod back small handle for Natives.....	4	13	5,,
Lock.....	3	14	10,,	Swords Rifle Bore .577...	4	9	8,,
Ramrod.....	1	4	0,,	" Serjeants and Havildars.....	4	4	11,,
Stock.....	6	10	6,,	" Staff Serjts. and Native Officers...	12	5	1,,
Carbine, Sappers and Miners Percussion complete.....	30	0	7,,	<i>Accoutrements.</i>			
<i>Fuzil Percussion.</i>				Belts Buff Bayonet Fuzil and Musket 2½ and 2½ inch...	1	7	5,,
Barrel.....	17	6	4,,	" " Carbine and Pouch.....	3	1	0,,
Lock.....	4	8	5,,	" " Pouch Musket	0	12	10,,
Ramrod.....	0	8	4,,	" " " N. C. R. and F...	0	13	7,,
Stock.....	8	15	6,,	" " " N. O. S. S. and H. M. Horse Artillery and Cavalry...	0	14	4,,
Fuzil Percussion complete.....	31	9	5,,	" " Sword, Drummers and Buglers Foot Artillery and Infantry.....	1	8	5,,
<i>Muskets, Percussion common.</i>							
Barrel.....	18	15	1,,				
Lock.....	4	9	9,,				
Ramrod.....	0	7	11,,				
Stock.....	7	4	10,,				
Muskets Percussion common complete.....	31	8	5,,				
<i>Muskets new Pattern Percussion Bore .577 Smooth.</i>							
Barrel.....	17	3	8,,				
Lock.....	4	3	1,,				
Ramrod.....	0	7	11,,				
Stock.....	6	10	4,,				
Musket new Pattern Percussion Bore .577 Smooth complete.....	28	11	10,,				

Articles.	Value.			Articles.	Value.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Slings Buff for Colors ...	1	6		Oea Hooks, Brass Slings	28	7	6for
" " Horse Artillery.....	0	13	10 "	Sword, Gilt.....			100
" " Sword, N. C. R. and F. Cavalry long.	0	6	10 "	" Slings for Artillery, Bayonet Belts...	0	2	5ea
" " Sword, N. C. R. and F. Cavalry short.	0	6	10 "	" Horn, Bugle, common Europe	19	13	3 "
" " Tache Sabre, N. O. (3 in a set).....	1	1	9set	Nipple, Musket Carbine, Rifle and Fuzil...	0	2	10 "
" Drum Bass.....	0	15	7ea	" Wrench, Rifle Percussion.. ..	0	10	10 "
" " common.....	0	8	0 "	" Wrench, Carbine Percussion.....	0	11	8 "
" Fife Case.....	1	7	2 "	Plates, Waist Brass, Foot Artillery and Infantry.	0	8	9 "
" Silk Trumpet and Bugle.....	1	12	3 "	Plates, Waist, European Light Infantry...	0	9	1 "
Straps for Prickers and Brushes	0	1	2 "	" Waist Native Infantry	0	8	9 "
Tache, Sabre, N. O.....	3	4	6 "	" Waist. Sappers and Miners.....	1	8	0 "
<i>Stores.</i>				Screws, Ball for Rifle Bore .577.....	0	6	11 "
Brass Jag or Washer...	0	1	8 "	Swivel, Carbine with Tees complete...	1	7	4 "
Caps, Percussion Copper.	2	7	1000	" Rifle, Percussion Bore .577.....	0	2	9 "
Case, Brass for Fifes Europe.....	8	13	7ea	Trumpets, Cavalry Musical.....	24	2	3 "
Cramps, spring for Locks Dragon, China, Horse Artillery (Dragon China Brass for Accoutrements)	0	12	11 "	Turn Screws, Musket....	0	2	5 .
Dragon, China, Foot Artillery (Dragon China Gilt for Accoutrements)	0	14	0 "	" Pistol.....	0	1	11 "
Drum, Bass, complete...	1	8	0 "	" Rifle.....	0	2	7 "
" common complete	72	14	2 "	Washer Rifle, Brass Bore .577	0	2	7 "
Fife, Europe B.....	19	14	7 "	Worms, Carbine or Pistol	0	1	11 "
" " C.....	3	0	8 "	" Fuzil.	0	1	11 "
	2	15	9 "	" Musket.....	0	2	1 "
				" Rifle.....	0	2	7 "
				Wrenches, Nipple with turn Screws and Worms.	0	15	3 "

EXPLANATORY OF THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES, AND EXEMPTIONS OF MEN NOW SERVING IN HER MAJESTY'S INDIAN FORCES.

G. O. G. No. 421, 28th September 1860.—The following General Orders by His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, are republished.;

GENERAL ORDERS BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

Fort William, 11th September 1860.

No. 918 of 1860.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council has reason to believe that at some Stations there prevails amongst the English Soldiers of the Local Army a misapprehension as to the bearing which the provisions of a Bill lately proposed to Parliament by Her Majesty's Government will have upon the condition of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

The Governor General in Council is able to state for general information that no change whatever in the condition of the Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of these Forces is provided by the Bill or contemplated by Her Majesty's Government.

It is the intention of Her Majesty's Government that the right, privileges, and exemptions, of every man now serving in Her Majesty's Indian Forces shall, for the whole time of his service, remain precisely what they now are: that no man shall be called upon to serve out of India during the term of his engagement, but that at the end of that term he shall take his discharge, unless he shall desire to enlist into Her Majesty's Army for general service, which he will be free to do: and that during each man's term of engagement he shall not be required to serve otherwise than in Her Majesty's Indian Forces, and in such Arm of them as he has chosen for himself.

The intention of Her Majesty's Government in introducing the Bill is to put a stop to recruiting for Military Service exclusively in India.

The Governor General in Council desires to save the men of Her Majesty's Indian Forces from any mistake on a subject so nearly affecting their feelings and their interests, and with this view the present General Order is issued.

REGULATION LIMITING THE PERIOD OF ABSENCE TO BE RECKONED AS PART OF THE FIVE YEARS QUALIFYING FOR PROMOTION TO COLONEL.

Fort William, 18th September 1860.

No. 940 of 1860.—With reference to Government General Order No. 1537 of the 15th November 1859*, in which it was announced that no deduction was to be made on account of leaves of absence taken during the five years required to qualify a Lieutenant-Colonel for promotion under the Royal Warrant of 14th October 1858, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased, under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, to Notify that, in cases of Officers in Command of Regiments serving in India, or holding equivalent appointments, who may proceed Home on Furlough for periods varying from one to three years, it has been determined to place a limit on the period of absence to be reckoned as part of the five years qualifying for promotion to Colonel, and that fifteen months, being one-fourth of the whole period of five years, will be the term allowed, exclusive of leave obtained on Medical Certificate in consequence of wounds received in action.

This Regulation, it has been intimated, will apply to both Her Majesty's British and Indian Forces serving in India.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TAKEN BY A BREVET LIEUT. COLONEL WHO HAS OBTAINED THAT RANK FOR SERVICE IN THE FIELD, TO RECKON AS PART OF THE EIGHT YEARS' SERVICE TO QUALIFY FOR THE RANK OF COLONEL.

No. 954 of 1860.—The following paragraph of a Military Letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 300, of the 16th ultimo, is published in General Orders :—

“ A reference on the subject having been made to the General Commanding in Chief, it has been ruled that leave of absence taken by a Brevet Lieutenant Colonel who has

* Madras G. O. G. 29th November 1859, No. 459.

obtained that Rank for service in the Field, is to reckon as part of the eight years' service required under the Royal Warrant of the *31st January 1859, to qualify for the Rank of Colonel.

A. O. No. 9, 3rd September 1860.—IV. The following is published for general information and guidance.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following.

Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, India Office, London, 24th July 1860 No. 117.

1. My attention has been drawn to a practice that appears, on several occasions, to have been resorted to, by Officers Commanding European Regiments in India, of forwarding direct to the Commandant of the Depôt at Warley, sums of money to provide passages to India, for the wives and families of Soldiers who have been left behind in this Country, in consequence of the husbands having been attested as single men on their enlistment.

2. This mode of procedure is most irregular, as not only is the Commandant of the Depôt unable to comply with such requests, without authority from the Secretary of State for India, but your Government should have an opportunity of judging whether the circumstances of the case are such, as to render it desirable to depart from the rule binding the men to the declarations made by them on their enlistment.

3. I desire, therefore, that you will give directions that all cases of this description should be transmitted through the regular channel of the local government.

ORDER No. 3067, 24TH AUGUST 1860.

Communicated to the Commander-in-Chief (Adjutant General's Department,) with a view to the necessary instructions

on the subject being issued to Officers Commanding the European Regiments of Her Majesty's Indian Forces.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

V. In publishing, for general information and guidance, the following Circular from Army Head Quarters, it is directed that Commanding Officers report to the Adjutant General of the Army, (through Artillery Head Quarters,) the decision of each man whose discharge has been sanctioned, and who is now awaiting passage to Australia &c.

No. 5585.

CIRCULAR.

To,

The Commandant Madras Artillery.

SIR,

Since the year 1857 one vessel only has left this Port for Australia, and the charge to Sydney for a 2nd class passage on one of the P. and O. Company's Steamers has been raised to Rupees 400.--Passages cannot therefore, with reference to para. 47 G. O. G. No. 213 of 1855, be provided by Government on these Steamers for discharged European Soldiers.

2. As many men of the Regiment under your command, whose free discharge has been sanctioned, have elected to be sent to Australia, New Zealand &c., and are now awaiting passages to their destinations, I have the honor, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, to inform you that His Excellency gives them the option of withdrawing their applications for discharge, and rejoining their Corps; or, if they prefer it, they will be placed under the orders of the Fort Adjutant for embarkation for England.

3. You will be good enough to report, as early as practicable, the decision that each man comes to.

I have the honor to be &c.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
1st September 1860.

(Signed) W. G. Woods, Lt.Col.
Adjutant General of the Army.

A. O. 7th September 1860.—I. Under the authority of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, an Establishment consisting of

2 Serjeants,
2 Corporals,
2 Bombardiers, and

56 Gunners, (including 2 Farriers Non Effective,) will be formed from the men now at the Recruit Depôt, for the Driving of No. 1 Light Field Battery attached to the A.

* Sanctioned in Minutes of Consultation No. 3645 dated 8th October 1858.

Company 4th Battalion at Secunderabad; the promotions* to the

Non Commissioned ranks being, in the first instance, temporary only.

2. The Officer Commanding Madras Artillery Centre Division will select the above men, with reference to paras 2 and 4 of A. O. No. 5 of 26th February 1858, and para. 2 of A. O. No. 6 of 10th May 1860, and will forward a nominal roll to the Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery, in order to their removal to the 4th Battalion being notified in A. O.

3. After removal to the 4th Battalion, the men will continue to do duty at the Recruit Depôt for training and instruction; but they, as well as the Horses of No. 6 Battery which are now en route from Bangalore, will be placed under Captain G. B. B. Holmes of the A. Company 4th Battalion until further orders.

A. O. 10th September 1860.—I. It is notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Commander in Chief has been pleased to direct it to be intimated that the Commandant and Staff of the Artillery Recruit Depôt, if Horse Artillery Officers, may wear the Horse Artillery Uniform.

2. The Non-Commissioned Staff and men permanently attached to the Recruit Depôt, are to be supplied with Foot Artillery Clothing.

II. The following is published for general information and guidance.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter.

From the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Fort William, 14th August 1860, No. 413 ; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

In reply to your letter No. 2284 dated 22d June last, I am directed to state that Government General Order No. 995, of 9th October 1854, gave to Serjeant Majors and Quarter Master Serjeants of Native Artillery, the Field pay of the corresponding grades in the European Artillery. When therefore the Government General Orders quoted in

• Government General Order No. 102, dated 19th January 1858.	
do. No. 1251, „ 31st August 1858.	
do. No. 245, „ 6th March 1860.	

the margin*
revised the
pay of Ser-

jeant Majors and Quarter Master Serjeants of European Artillery from 1st January 1858, those of corresponding grade in the Native Battalions of Artillery became entitled to the increased, or revised, pay at the Field rate, from 1st January 1858.

ORDER No. 3173, 1st SEPTEMBER 1860.

Communicated to the Commander in Chief and Pay Department, with reference to Proceedings of Government No. 2283, dated 22nd June 1860.

The pay claims in question will be adjusted accordingly.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

A. O. 24th September 1860.—I. The following order of Government is published for general information and guidance.

ORDER No. 3365, 19TH SEPTEMBER 1860.

The Commander-in-Chief having represented that the issue of Sashes to the Non-Commissioned Officers of the Artillery is no longer required, this article of Equipment not being worn by that arm of the Service, the Governor in Council authorizes the discontinuance of their issue, subject to the approval of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State, to whom copy of this order will be forwarded through the Government of India.

* These Sashes may be returned to the Superintendent and Agent Army Clothing in convenient Banghy parcels, franked.

2. The Sashes last issued to the Artillery will be returned* to the Clothing Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. HAMILTON, Lieut. Colonel,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

ARRIVALS.

1860.	Names.	From.	At.
6th Sept.	Capt. G. Carleton,	Bangalore	St Thomas' Mount.
16th "	2d Capt. E. W. Dance,	Europe	Madras.

DEPARTURES.

1860.	Names.	From.	To.
27th Septr.	Lieut. W. S. Hebbert,	St Thomas' Mount	Bombay.
27th „	„ H. L. Armstrong,	Madras.	} Singapore.
27th „	„ W. Wyndham,	„	

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

1860.	Names.	To.
4th Septr.	Senior Capt. (Bt Lt. Col.)	To be Lieut. } Vice Amsinck
	G. S. Cotter.	Colonel. } deceased; date of
	Senior 2d Capt. (Bt. Lieut.	To be Capt. } Commissions, 1st
	Colonel) R. Cadell.	September 1860.
	Senior Lt. H. G. Thomson	To be 2d Capt.

Memorandum.—The undermentioned Officers are entitled to the Pay and Allowances of their rank from the 1st September 1860, vice Amsinck deceased.

Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Orr.

Lieutenant *The Honorable* A. B. de Montmorency.

7th September Lieut. Colonel T. K. Whistler.—To be Commandant of Artillery, with the rank of Brigadier, and to command Saint Thomas' Mount, vice Amsinck deceased.

14th „	Lieut. S. J. F. Mackenzie,	} Date of Rank fixed 8th June 1860.
	„ A. J. Maclaverty,	
	„ M. R. West,	
	„ G. R. Gambier,	
	„ D. W. Lawrell,	
	„ A. J. Lavie,	
	„ F. R. Twynam,	

18th „	Senior 2d Capt. E. W. Dance,—To be Capt.	} Vice Rippon retired; date of Commissions, 15th September 1860.
	„ Lieut. J. Stewart,—To be 2d Capt.	

Memo.—Lieutenant W. H. Montgomerie, is entitled to the Pay, and Allowances of his rank from the 15th September 1860, in succession to Stewart promoted.

1860.	Names.	To.
19th Sept.	2d Captain J. Blair, 1st Battalion Artillery.	Confirmed in the appointment of Adjutant and Quarter Master of the Artillery in the Straits, vice Cadell promoted.
25th "	Captain W. C. L. Baker, Commy. of Ordnance.	Is, as a temporary arrangement, appointed Inspector of Ordnance Fort Saint George, without preju- dice to his substantive appointment, to have effect from the date of re- tirement of Captain S. Rippon.
28th "	Captain G. Carleton, 2d Capt. W. D. Forster,	To take rank from 5th July 1860, vice Gumm retired.
	2nd Captain G. F. Blair,	To take rank from 9th July 1860, vice Peach Invalided.
	Capt. (Bt. Lieut. Col.) R. Cadell, 2nd Capt. H. G. Thomson,	To take rank from 19th July 1860, vice Jones deceased.
	Capt. E. W. Dance, 2nd Capt. J. Stewart,	To take rank from 1st September 1860, in succession to Cotter pro- moted.
	Senior 2nd Capt. C. Desborough,	To be Capt.
	" Lieut. M. B. S. Lloyd,	To be 2d Capt.

Vice Rip-
pon retired,
date of Com-
missions 15th
September
1860.

MEMORANDUM.—The undermentioned Officers are entitled to the pay of their Rank from the dates specified against their names:—

Lieutenant St. J. C. Shawe	from 5th July 1860,
	vice Forster promoted.
" A. C. Davidson	from 9th July 1860,
	vice Blair promoted.
" <i>The Honorable</i> A. B. de Montmoren- cy	from 19th July 1860, vice Thom- son promoted.
" W. H. Montgomerie	from 1st Sep- tember 1860, vice Stewart promo- ted.
" M. M. Bowie	from 15th September 1860, vice Lloyd promoted.

*This cancels the dates previously at-
signed to these Officers.*

REMOVALS AND POSTINGS.

Date.	Rank and Names.	From.		To.		Remarks.
		Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	Troop or Company.	Brigade or Battalion.	
1860.						
1st Sept.	Lieut. T. W. Roberts.....	Doing duty Recruit Depot.		A.	1st	To join at Singapore.
	„ D. V. Shortland.....	A.	1st	C.	4th	To join at Tonghoo forihwikk.
17th „	Lt. Col. G. Rowlandson....	.....	4th Btn.	{ Horse Brigade Non-Effective. 4th Bn.		
	„ G. S. Cotter.....	ate promotion				
	Capt. (Major) J. Babington. C.	3rd		D.	4th	{ To join on being relieved by Capt. Smith.
	Capt. (Lt. Col.) R. Cadell..	ate promotion		A.	3rd	
	2d Capt. S. R. Smith.....	B.	3rd	C.	3rd	{ To join in charge of the Horses of the Bty. and Artillery drafts for Burmah.
				No. 6 Horse Battery.		
	Lieut. A. K. Seacome.....	Doing duty Recruit Depot.			do.	{ To join under Captain Smith.
21st „	„ W. R. C. Brough....	B.	3rd		do.	{ To join in charge of Horses for No. 6 Bty. per Seringapatam.
	„ W. Bisset.....	C.	3rd	C.	4th	To join.
	2d Capt. S. R. Smith.....					{ Will proceed to join in charge of the Drafts on the Dalhousie.
	Lieut. A. K. Seacome.....					{ Will proceed to join in charge of Horses on the Scindien.
22d „	„ W. Wyndham.....	C.	1st	B.	5th	To join.
						{ To proceed from the Mount to Secunderabad in Command of details of Artillery, and on arrival to join his Company and relieve Capt. W. S. Mann.
28th „	Capt. G. B. B. Holmes...}					{ To proceed from Secunderabad to Kamptee, in charge of details for that Station, on being relieved by Captain Holmes.
	A. Compy. 4th Batin. }					
	Capt. W. S. Mann.....}					{ To proceed to join with details now under orders to move from the Mount.
	D. Compy. 2d Batin. }					
	Lieut. C. J. McMahon....}					
	B. Troop H. Arty....}					
	Lieut. S. Penny.....	C.	5th	D.	3rd	

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN INDIA.

1860.	Names.	Where and Remarks.
14th Septr.	Lieut. W. S. Hebbert.	Bombay for 3 months on private affairs, under the regulations of 1854.
25th „	Lt. Col. (Bt. Col.) J. W. Croggan.	In continuation of privilege leave for one month—to enable him to join.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE IN EUROPE.

1860.	Names.	Remarks.
4th Septr.	Captain (Colonel) W. M. Gabbett,	} Leave extended for 6 months.
25th „	Captain (Major) J. G. Balmain,	
	Captain C. D. Waddell.	
	Lieutenant C. R. Buckle,—	Leave extended for 3 months.

SERVICES.

1860. Captain C. M. J. Thornton.—Services placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Public Works' Department.

DEATH.

At Saint Thomas' Mount, on the 31st August 1860, Lieut. Colonel (Bt. Col.) E. Amsinck, Brigadier Commandant of Artillery.

Extract from G. O. C. C. No. 97 dated 1st September 1860.

“ The Commander-in-Chief has received with deep regret the intelligence of the death, on the 31st ultimo, of Brigadier E. Amsinck, Commandant of Artillery.”

“ Brigadier Amsinck joined the Madras Artillery in the year 1822; and, with the exception of a short Furlough to Europe he has served continuously with his Regiment for the long period of thirty eight years.”

“ He was appointed Brigadier Commandant on the 27th December 1859; and the Commander-in-Chief records with grateful feelings, his abiding sense of the very able and zealous assistance he received from Brigadier Amsinck whilst at the head of the Regiment of Artillery, a Command which, in its vast importance, is, in His Excellency's estimation, second to none in the Army.”

Colonel E. Amsinck was a Cadet of 1821 and arrived in India 14th January 1823.—Date of Commission as 2nd Lieutenant 10th May 1822; as 1st Lieutenant 11th May 1822; as Captain 5th December 1831; as Major 3rd July 1845; as

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*ed / G. B. Roberts. Captain.
Adjut. Genl of the Army*



